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HARVEY BIRCH.

Another Communication from This Interesting Correspondent.

The Rebel Sympathizers in New York and Baltimore.

Infernal Gun at Drury's Bluff—Trial Exhibition.

How They Brand Deserters in the South,

&c., &c., &c.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 20, 1863.

In my last letter published by you, I promised to expose in my next communication some disloyal practices on the part of certain rebel sympathizers in this city and New York, but circumstances, which you will learn from a private note, constrain me to respite the guilty parties until ... comes upon me again.

But let not the transgressors, like their late friend, Dr. Wright, of Norfolk, imagine that a respite prognosticates a pardon, or like him they will fall a prey to bitter dis...

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... tional ties between the two sections, but, for himself at least, a dissolution of all political and social relations with the people of the other section. He had had many political associates in the North; but he learned from experience that whenever they needed their help, and attempted to get their hands on them, like Paddy's flea, they were not there. Like the gossamer, they go with the strongest wind. Now look at the conduct of John Van Buren. A few months ago they were led to regard him as a friend—that is to say, as an enemy of the Lincoln administration, and in favor of "peace at any price." They expected him to become one of the leaders of the peace party, but in the middle of March they found him in New York and Brooklyn advocating the war, "war at any price." John is "a chip of the old block," and they ought not, perhaps, to be surprised at any political inconsistency or somersault committed by him; but it is much the same with all the Northern people. The leaders of this peace party are men of no character even in the North, and we cannot reasonably expect any good result from their friendship. By proffering the South their friendship they are guilty of treachery to their own section and country, and if they had an opportunity they would not be long in (them) betraying us.

ANOTHER ON THE SAME SUBJECT.

Mr. Staples also made a speech. He had no respect for the peace party of the North, and would never listen to reconstruction. He was glad to be assured that nearly all the leading men in the South entertained similar sentiments, but at the same time he believed it bad policy to avow such sentiments, so that they should become known to the leaders and members of that peace party. We may talk as we like here among ourselves; but he was opposed to our statesmen and leaders writing letters, and to newspapers printing editorials, continually declaring reunion impossible. It is better to encourage this peace party; to induce its leaders to believe that if reasonable guarantees are offered by the Yankee government the South will return to the ...

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... from this hut, is a large mansion, occupied by Mr. Manning, who has two sons in the rebel army. From this point there is not the slightest difficulty in passing along the mountain to the rebel lines. At one of these places a small skiff is kept concealed by day for the purpose of conveying rebel spies and mail carriers, &c., over the river by night. For reasons of my own I abstain from being more explicit in regard to the ferryman or others connected with this enterprise. But if the Provost Marshal or officer in command at Charlestown acts upon the information I have here given they will have no difficulty in breaking up an important underground mail route, and may save themselves or some of their comrades from being gobbled up in future. HARVEY BIRCH.

THE PRESIDENCY.

Lincoln Nominated by the Maryland House of Delegates.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 23, 1864.

In the Maryland House of Delegates yesterday, Mr. Jones offered a series of resolutions endorsing the administration of Abraham Lincoln and renominating him for the Presidency.

The resolutions were adopted, and a disloyal one denouncing the administration was laid over under the rules.

Mr. Murphy, of Baltimore, submitted a resolution providing for the expulsion of any member using disloyal language.

The Speaker declared this resolution out of order.

Lincoln Nominated in California.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 22.

Among a series of patriotic resolutions before the Legislature one concludes as follows:—"That the people still look to Abraham Lincoln as the instrument selected by Providence to lead their country in safety through all its peril, and restore it again to a peace in which no element of discord shall be found, and that we do most heartily favor his re-election." This passed the Senate with but five dissenting votes, and the Assembly with only two objecting members.

Interesting Criminal Matters—Sentence Day.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Before Recorder Hoffman and City Judge Russel.

JAN. 23.—This being sentence day, the court room was unusually crowded, and the bench was occupied by Recorder Hoffman and City Judge A. D. Russel.

The interests of the people were looked after by As...

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THE PRIZE RING IN CHICAGO.

A Brutal Affair Near Cottage Grove—Desperate Battle Between Professional Bruisers—Full Account of the Fight, &c., &c.

[From the Chicago Times, Jan. 18.]

In the TIMES of Friday an account was given of an unfinished "Mill Under the Willow," between James Love, a stout soldier, and Roger Plant, a "feather weight," but of no special occupation, living on Wells street. The fight was inaugurated on Thursday evening, but, owing to the officiousness of the "blue blood," was postponed until Saturday. On that day, every arrangement for a successful termination of the affair having been made, with the strictest secrecy, the friends of both men, to the number of one hundred and fifty, met at a secluded spot one mile and a half south of Cottage Grove. The stakes having in the interim been increased to $200, the greatest interest was manifested in the result of the affray, and betting ran heavy, the odds being in favor of the little one.

On the arrival of the parties on the ground the stakes were driven in a twinkling, and a ring was speedily formed. With the active assistance of Jack Kelly and Pete Mcnahan, his seconds, the little one was soon bared, and presented quite a smiling "phiz" to his admiring friends who seemed sanguine in the ability of their dwarf to "polish off" his massive antagonist. Pat McBride and Jack Donnelly, who were specially retained to administer to the comfort of Love during the friendly exchanges between the combatants, soon removed the surplus costume from their protege, and George Dunn, having been appointed referee, and Johnny Waris the "judicious bottle holder," the business of the day was gone into.

In the first round there was some good sparring; but Plant, in dodging a well directed blow of Love, fell.

In the second round both men got well to their work and some smart exchanges took place, during which some heavy visitations upon the domicil of the "big 'un" drew quite an effusion of ruby from the upper lip and prominent feature. Stung by the sharp practice of the "infant," the giant let fly a well directed left-hander at the "boy," catching him well home under the right "listener," and knocking him violently into his corner. First blood for Plant, and first knockdown blow for Love, were both claimed and allowed.

There was a good deal of sparring in the third round, and the "kid" seemed disinclined to go in. He danced around the ring in the most approved Sayers style, until, by a little bamming and feinting, Love got within reach, when he planted a beautiful right-hander upon the sinister "peeper" of the boy, and sent him to the earth "star gazing."

The fourth round showed the youth to have a decided discoloration and a swelling setting in upon the "visual organ," so that his friends and backers looked a little "down in the mouth." The little one himself had dropped the smiling "mug" he displayed earlier in the fight, and seemed to look as if his prospects were getting as blue as his left "optic." Presently, however, both got to work, Love receiving a few gentle hints on the bread basket, and retaliating on the right bearer of his little admirer, and the latter fell.

The fighting in the fifth round was very spirited, Love administering some forcible suggestions with both hands on either side of Plant's wisdom depository, and receiving another cut on the nasal protuberance, which drew an additional supply of carmine. Finally Plant fell.

At the commencement of the sixth round Plant commenced to adopt a different line of tactics, fighting very shy of coming to close quarters, but when there immediately upon receiving the slightest blow from his antagonist he fell. This artful game continued up to the seventh round, when, having got his wind, the "lad" went in desperate and smart raps were exchanged on both sides, and for once Love was down.

Up to the thirtieth round the chances of Plant winning the laurels of the day were not utterly abandoned by his friends, but it was seen that he was gradually losing steam and was generally dispirited.

In the thirty-first round the soldier went in as if he meant to do up the fighting quick. Lodging a severe blow on the left breast of Plant he fairly knocked him across the ring, sending him with a back action through the ropes.

In round thirty-second Plant came up remarkably "groggy" from the last sledge hammer blow from his weighty antagonist, and it was some time before he could ...

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... twenty pounds only, and is only five feet one inch in stature. At the termination of the fight Plant was unable to walk out of the ring. He was taken to his house and medical attendance called in, but it was found that he was suffering more from exhaustion than from any serious injuries.

THE EUROPEAN STEAMERS.

Non-Arrival of the Canada.

HALIFAX, Jan. 22—9 A. M.

There are as yet no signs of the steamship Canada, now fully due at this port, with Liverpool dates of the 9th and Queenstown of the 10th instant.

HALIFAX, Jan. 23—10 P. M.

Nothing yet of the Canada.

The weather is splendid.

HALIFAX, Jan. 23—11 P. M.

No tidings yet of the Canada.

Non-Arrival of the Damascus.

PORTLAND, Jan. 22—11 P. M.

The steamship Damascus, from Liverpool on the 7th, via Londonderry on the 8th inst., has not been signalled up to the present hour. Her dates are three days later.

The weather is very clear and fine.

City Intelligence.

CARELESS DRIVING—NEW REGULATIONS REQUIRED.—In yesterday's issue was published an account of an old lady having been killed, while attempting to cross Broadway at Grand street, by being run down by some vehicle unknown to the Coroner's jury. Such accidents are of too frequent occurrence, and generally the result of reckless driving. But a short time ago no less than three persons were felled to the ground and dangerously injured by the driver of a brewer's wagon at Canal street and Broadway, and the only excuse the driver could render to the indignant bystanders was, that "his horses were on a trot and he could not stop them in time." The butcher carts, express wagons and omnibuses invariably turn the corners on a fast trot, and expect to have the way cleared by shouting vociferously to the pedestrians to make room, never calculating that some are blind, lame, halt or infirm, and unable, although receiving timely warning, to escape. To abate this evil, and to avert these distressing accidents, is it not in the power of the city authorities to enact an ordinance which shall regulate the speed of that class of drivers referred to, and from whence a great many of these calamities flow, compelling them to pull up and cross Broadway, or turn from ...

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GENERAL KELLEY'S DEPARTMENT.

Mr. Theodore C. Wilson's Despatch.

REBEL DESERTERS COMING IN—SUFFERING AMONG THE REBEL TROOPS.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT WEST VIRGINIA, Jan. 23, 1864.

Ninety-seven deserters have come in to General Sullivan within the last few days. Camp—suffering among the rebel troops.

The weather here is clear and very mild.

The Great Catastrophe in Chile.

[From the Providence Bulletin, Jan. 19.]

We are indebted to Mr. Waldo A. Pearce, late of Santiago, but now in this city, for a copy of a letter received by him from an eye witness of the terrible holocaust of human life in the church of Santiago. Some of the facts and incidents here detailed are not set forth in any other correspondence that has fallen under our eye, and will be read with deep and painful interest.

SANTIAGO, Dec. 14, 1863.

MY DEAR SON—I have to inform you of one of the most heartrending calamities, and the most distressing scene ever witnessed by mortal eyes, which occurred on the 8th inst., in this city. The 8th of December was a great feast day—*La Purisima, Concepcion de Maria*—and the church called De la Compania had been fitted up to great taste after the Catholic style, by adding extra lights, which numbered on the occasion, as per report, 20,000, and mostly fluid gas lights. Besides, the saints were all decorated with all sorts of gauze and fancy drapery of cloths and ribbons. The altar was also hung with drapery of every imaginable hue and form, saints and angels painted on their cloth, and hung as curtains in front of the lights back of the altar. There being the ... day of the feasts, or last day, the church was crowded to its utmost capacity, and, as is always the case, principally by females. Services were about to commence (seven o'clock P. M.), when the person in charge of the lights attempted to adjust a light near the altar, and behind one of the curtains, when the curtain, by some carelessness on the part of the person in charge, caught fire. To add still more to the combustible material, the entire wood work of the interior of the church had been painted for the occasion, and much spirits of turpentine used in the mixture. The consequence was the flames spread through the whole interior in the most incredibly short space of time. The whole ...

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NEWS FROM PORT HUDSON.

The Fate of the Captured Union Officers—The Enemy Concentrating near Port Hudson and Baton Rouge—Capture of Prisoners Who are Glad to be Taken, &c., &c.

The following extracts from private letters received in this city are of marked interest:—

PORT HUDSON, La., Jan. 12, 1864.

The statements published in the papers of December 22, of the capture and imprisonment in Richmond of General Ullmann was a mere canard. There was not a syllable of truth in it.

Another invention has gone the rounds of the papers, and caused a vast amount of unnecessary pain in families—namely: that the officers of General Ullmann's command who had been taken prisoners had been hung by the rebels. The facts are that, after much effort, General Ullmann long since received information as to the fate of all the officers of his division who had fallen into the hands of the enemy, except one. Over his fate there is doubt. The probability is that he was killed. He was last seen at Jackson, endeavoring to escape from a squad of cavalry pursuing. As to the others, those who were taken at Jackson are in Libby Prison, and those who were captured at Brashear City, in June, are and have been at Camp Ford, a rebel depot for prisoners, four miles from Tyler, the shiretown of Smith county, Texas. It is known that latterly their treatment has not differed essentially from that of other prisoners. At first Allen and Page were put in irons, but they were long ago removed.

General Ullmann constantly has rebel prisoners in his hands, and those who know him need no assurance that if any of his command shall be treated by the rebels contrary to the usages of civilized warfare the retaliation will be sharp and quick.

General St. George Cooke, commanding at Baton Rouge, ...

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... a stand about fifteen miles east.

PORT HUDSON, Jan. 13, 1864.

The rebels are concentrating near this stronghold and Baton Rouge. They are becoming quite enterprising. They push their pickets close to the Union lines.

The rebel General Adams has several brigades distributed at Woodville, Clinton and Jackson.

General Ullmann took quite a number of prisoners to-day. Most of them profess to be sick of the war, and are glad to be taken. They declare that they never heard of the President's proclamation of amnesty.

NEWS FROM CHATTANOOGA.

CHATTANOOGA, Jan. 23, 1864.

Trains are running regularly between Nashville and Chattanooga.

Colonel McCallum has arrived here with one thousand mechanics and laborers, and the work of rebuilding the railroad to Knoxville will be commenced at once.

Supplies are accumulating and quartermasters commenced issuing full rations to the soldiers to-day.

A large number of veteran volunteers have left the army, but the balance of power is maintained by raw recruits from the North and deserters from the South.

Seven hundred recruits came down this morning.

On Monday last one hundred and fifty rebels deserted, and to-day a squad of fourteen rebels.

The rebel army which holds the position at Dalton is believed to number 30,000 men. The Tennessee and Kentucky troops are camped in the centre under a guard.

It is positively known that the rebel soldiers are killing their best mules for subsistence.

Gen. Grant came to the front this morning.

Gen. Judah has left for Knoxville, to resume command of his old division, the Twenty-third Corps.

Surgeon H. S. Hewett has been assigned by General Grant Medical Director of the Department of Ohio, to report to General Foster in the field.

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MEADE'S ARMY.

Mr. William Young's Despatch.

ARMY OF THE POTOMAC, Jan. 23, 1864.

There was nothing new this morning at Mitchell's Station, which is near our extreme front, and all is quiet elsewhere along the lines.

General Kilpatrick came up to-day. Notwithstanding what others say, there will probably be an early announcement that he is assigned to an important command in another department than the Army of the Potomac.

General Rosecrans Assigned to the Command of the Department of the Missouri.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 23, 1864.

It is officially announced that General Rosecrans has been assigned to the command of the Department of the Missouri.

General Schofield has been ordered to report to General Grant, who will probably assign him to a command in East Tennessee.

The Ninth Army Corps.

CIRCULAR.

HEADQUARTERS, NINTH ARMY CORPS, SPECIAL SERVICE, NEW YORK, Jan 22, 1864.

The headquarters of the Ninth army corps, for special service, are hereby established on the north side of Twenty-second street, between Broadway and Fifth avenue. By command of

Major General BURNSIDE.

EDWARD M. NEILL, Assistant Adjutant General.

Arrival of the Columbia at Boston.

BOSTON, Jan. 23, 1864.

The steamship Columbia, from Galway on the 5th, via St. Johns, N. F., on the 17th instant, arrived here at nine o'clock this morning. Her news has already been transmitted over the wires.

The Columbia has been detained by ice on her passage from Newfoundland.

Personal Intelligence.

Generals Thomas, Crittenden, McCook, Butterfield, Hobson, Starkweather, Judah and Kiezyawski, with their staff officers, were at Louisville on the 17th inst.

General John McNeil, commander of the District of the Frontier, was at St. Louis on the 16th inst. General McNeil is a witness for the defence in the case of W. R. Strachan, now being tried by court martial on certain charges.

Col. Freeman McGilvery, who entered the service as captain of the Sixth Maine battery, is to be made a ...

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Fashions for January.

[From Le Follet.]

The favor with which plaid has been received is decidedly diminishing. Still the collets of plaid velvet, with fringe to match, are worn, although now rather an exceptional than a reigning fashion, as formerly. They are more generally made of cloth or milled flannel, in patterns of wide black checks upon a violet or green ground, with chenille fringe of the two colors. Small paletots are also made of the same materials, and trimmed with fringe. Velvet rotondes in black, violet or blue, as also in striped plush, are equally fashionable. Besides those of cloth or velvet, mantles of silk, lined and wadded, trimmed with wide guipure or passementerie mixed with beads, are worn; but, although very pretty, they are certainly scarcely so suitable to the weather as materials of warmer appearance. A half fitting casaque of Lyons cloth, with a rouleau of fur, has a very stylish effect. Fur is admissible as a trimming even for full dress, though, of course, then only worn by ladies who do not dance. Satin or velvet dresses of light colors are being made with trimmings of ermine, swandown or grebe round the bottom of the skirt, and sometimes also on the body. They have an exceedingly rich and elegant appearance.

Satin brocatel or velontine are occasionally made with quite plain skirts. When trimmed it must be either with fur, feathers or lace. Upon a dress of Mexico blue or Empress mauve satin, two or three bands of feathers produce a splendid effect. Lace also is very much used with satin; and there are some exquisite lace tunics made for this purpose. Guipure is not so effective as chantilly.

Ruches, flounces with narrow satin trimmings, butterfly bows, medallions, leaves of lace, and especially passementerie, are worn as trimmings this winter. Passementerie is in great favor for vestes, which are trimmed with bands of it, forming braces. Upon Figaro vestes, the chief elegance is in the epaulets with jet beads ended with hanging ornaments. These are now made long and narrow, very much ornamented with embroidery of passementerie, terminating with a cut jet ornament. For visiting dress in rich materials, some persons have adopted the fashion of having the skirt made perfectly plain.

Moires of a very large water, are very much in vogue, especially the short moires. Those with a black ground and wide plaid satin stripes are also very handsome. A similar pattern is made in taffetas.

The flowing style of dress called Louis XV. is that usually adopted for robe de chambre, or morning dress. It is made with large plaits in the back. The form soutane—which is also used for morning dresses—is without large plaits, and has less fulness. For this reason, however, it is not so graceful. This garment, being especially reserved for morning wear, is usually made simply of cashmere, flannel or alpaca. When plain, the colors preferred are iron gray or deep blue. Others are made in black and white check, or plaid. Wide bands suiting the dress are used as trimmings. A plaid band on the iron gray; upon the blue or plaid, a band of taffetas or black velvet.

For these simple robes de chambre can be substituted others of a richer description, as ponceau cashmere covered with rich black braiding and passementerie, or plaid poplin with velvet bands, or still more elegant, plush with velvet, or quilted satin bands—this can only be in the Louis XV. style.

Foulard formerly was considered a summer material; now it is worn so generally at all times of the year that we must not pass it by without notice. When of a dark shade it is especially useful for dull or wet weather, as it loops up so easily over the petticoat, and does not crumple.

Violet and dark gray are the colors most preferred for walking dress. Those in cashmere patterns of palms or arabesques upon stripes are reserved for morning at-home dress. Foulards with white ground and colored bouquets, or stripes, are charming for evening dress.

This being the season when ball and evening dresses are much required, we will place them first in our list of descriptions this month.

A silver-gray dress of poult de soie, trimmed round the bottom of the skirt with four narrow fluted flounces, each headed by a rouleau of green and red plaid velvet. A low body, with a round waist, and a plaid velvet scarf, forming a sash tied loosely on one side, the ends finished off with a fringe. With this may be worn a Spanish veste of lace, with bows of plaid velvet.

A pink moire dress. On the skirt are two flounces of English point lace, placed in zig-zags and caught together by bows of pink satin ribbon, edged with lace. The body covered with a short pelerine of lace, forming a jockey upon the sleeve, which is short and puffed.

A rich white satin dress; the skirt made with a train, and trimmed round with a thick ruche of tulle. Over this a tunic of Swiss lace, made deeper behind than in front. Low body, trimmed with drapery of lace, headed by a tulle ruche. This toilet would have a very elegant effect if made of blue satin with black Chantilly lace.

A dress of foulard—white ground, with bouquets of blue flowers. A flounce of blue taffetas round the skirt, which is made with a train. The flounce, about a quarter of a yard in depth behind, but quite narrow in front, is edged with an insertion of black lace laid flat on, and a similar insertion forms a heading. Higher up the skirt at equal distances, are placed butterfly bows of black lace insertion. The body is draped with blue taffetas, with small butterfly bows of insertion, and a scarf of black lace to match, tied loosely at the side, forms a sash.

An apple green satin under skirt, covered with a white tulle skirt. The trimming is formed of ruches of green satin and white tulle, put on crossing one another, so as to form a diamond. In the centre of each diamond a medallion of black lace over green satin. The under skirt is rather longer than the upper one, and has a row of small black lace medallions matching those on the tulle, placed at a little distance apart all around it. The body is low, and made of green satin, with drapery and ruches of tulle. A sash, formed of ... together.

A robe of moire antique, Mexico blue, with a pattern of bouquets of ears of corn, tied with bows of ribbon of the same shade as the ground, only of a satin texture. A high body, with a waistband with a double point, made of Spanish point passementerie. To this band are fixed ends which hang about half way down the skirt, two behind and two in front. Braces to match, commencing from the band, are carried over the shoulders, where they increase considerably in width and form epaulets. At the bottom of the sleeve a revers to match.

A dress of maize-colored satin, with two rows of chenille put straight round the skirt and one waved between them. Upon the body, which is high, a trimming of chenille in the style of a Figaro veste. The sleeve small, and opened up to the elbow. A frill of lace round the bottom and down the front, forming a jabot.

A black moire dress, trimmed round with a quilling of the same. Above this, a wide Mexico blue ribbon up each seam, to about the height of fifteen or sixteen inches. This ribbon is covered with a guipure insertion. All the seams of the body are covered with a narrow ribbon under insertion.

Robe of black taffetas. Round the bottom of the skirt a ruche of violet ribbon; higher up, bows of guipure edged with narrow lace and lined with violet, are sewn flat on the dress, which forms a very pretty trimming. Body, with a point in front and a basque behind. A guipure insertion is put on in the Figaro veste fashion, and edged with a rather wide lace. At the top and bottom of the sleeves are sewn flat lace bows, like those on the skirt, only smaller.

Robe of green silk with black flowers. At the bottom of the skirt two flounces of plain green silk, about half a quarter wide, set on in deep plaits. These are headed by narrow ruches of black lace. High body with basque, trimmed with narrow frills and ruches of black lace. The bottoms of the sleeves, which are nearly tight, are trimmed to match.

A moire dress, in a white ground, with blue and green flowers. The skirt made with a train, and trimmed with a double plaiting of velvet, green and blue. Body—form, bolero—round in front, with deep basquines behind, trimmed to match the skirt.

The bonnets of the present season ought to please, we think, the most fastidious ladies, as they are so exceedingly becoming, being just large enough to form a framework round the face, and trimmed both inside and out without any exaggeration. So that we are almost tempted to wish they would remain as they are. Fur is used as trimming for bonnets, but has not a very graceful appearance. The best for this purpose are swandown or grebe; but chinchilla, ermine and even sable, are used; but will not, we think, become at all general. Chenille fringe forms a very elegant trimming, and is much used.

The Quota of the Twenty-fourth Congressional District Full.

AUBURN, N. Y., Jan. 20, 1864.

The quota of the Twenty-fourth Congressional district, composed of the counties of Cayuga, Wayne and Seneca, under the last call for three hundred thousand men, is more than full. Provost Marshal Knapp has mustered in twelve hundred recruits in the last three weeks. This is the first district to fill its quota.

The Second Massachusetts Regiment.

BOSTON, Jan. 20, 1864.

The Second Massachusetts regiment received an enthusiastic reception to-day, including a dinner at Faneuil Hall, at which Governor Andrew made a welcome address. Major General Burnside walked in the procession and was warmly received.

MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

Married.

BECKER—GILBERT.—On Sunday, January 17, at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. F. B. Hall, CHARLES LEOPOLD BECKER, of this city, to JOSEPHINE ELIZA GILBERT, of Providence, R. I.

CHENEY—HULL.—On Wednesday, January 20, at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. Wm. H. King, ALFRED C. CHENEY, of New York city, to ADA J., daughter of Samuel Hull, Esq., of Owego, N. Y.

DE STE. MARIE—HES.—On Tuesday, January 12, by the Rev. C. C. Harris, A. D. DE STE. MARIE, of Paris, to ALICE G. HES, of England. No cards.

STRONG—HILTON.—On Saturday evening, January 9, by the Rev. James Millett, at his residence, 156 Eldridge street, Mr. GEORGE F. STRONG, late of Roxbury, Mass., to Miss ANNA MARIA HILTON, all of this city.

Died.

AHERN.—On Friday, January 22, MICHAEL AHERN, in the 47th year of his age.

His friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from No. 231 East Twelfth street, this (Sunday) afternoon, at one o'clock. Interment at Calvary Cemetery.

ARCHER.—On Friday, January 22, LINA, wife of William A. Archer and daughter of Benjamin C. and Maria Brush, aged 26 years.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her parents, No. 24 West Twenty-eighth street, on Monday afternoon, at two o'clock, without further notice.

BECK.—The funeral of HARRIET C. BECK will take place from her parents' residence, Wall street, near Broadway, Brooklyn, this (Sunday) afternoon, at two o'clock.

Relatives and friends of the family, also the members of the Lodge of Antiquity, No. 11, F. and A. M., and Ancient Chapter, No. 1, R. A. M., are respectfully invited to attend. The remains will be interred in Greenwood Cemetery.

BYRNES.—On Thursday, January 21, MARGARET JULIA, only daughter of the late Michael and Julia Byrnes, aged 9 years, 8 months and 13 days.

The funeral will take place from the residence of her mother, 246 East Thirteenth street, near avenue A, this (Sunday) afternoon, at half-past two o'clock.

BRINTNALL.—On Friday, January 22, at Morrisania, Westchester county, N. Y., LEMUEL BRINTNALL, in the 83d year of his age.

The remains will be taken to Troy for interment.

CONLEY.—On Saturday morning, January 23, after a short illness, JOHN JAMES CONLEY, son of Patrick and Ann Conley, aged 12 years, 8 months and 10 days.

The friends and relatives of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his mother, 340 Seventh avenue, this (Sunday) afternoon, at one o'clock.

CLARKE.—On Thursday morning, January 22, MARY, wife of Edward Clarke, and daughter of the late James and Mary Coyle, in the 22d year of her age.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, this (Sunday) afternoon, at one o'clock, from 228 Sullivan street.

CLARK.—On Thursday, January 21, CHRISTOPHER CLARK, a native of Westmeath, Ireland, aged 41 years and 10 months.

The friends and acquaintances of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, this (Sunday) afternoon, at half-past one o'clock, from his late residence, 363 West Twelfth street.

CONNOLLY.—On Saturday, January 23, after a long and severe illness, DANIEL CONNOLLY, of Ballyshannon, county Donegal, Ireland, in the 61st year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, 29 Grand street, on Monday afternoon, at one o'clock. The remains will be interred in St. Patrick's church cemetery.

CORNWELL.—Suddenly, on Saturday morning, January 23, KATY M., the youngest and beloved daughter of John and Catherine A. Cornwell, of diptheria, aged 5 years, 6 months and 20 days.

Calm on the bosom of thy God,
Young spirit, rest thee now;
E'en while with us thy footsteps trod
His seal was on thy brow.

Her golden locks and sunny smiles
No more will make us happy,
Ours only for a little while—
God claims our darling Katy.

The relatives and friends of the family, the members of Architect Lodge, No. 519, F. and A. M., also the members of the Insurance Patrol, are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Monday afternoon, at one o'clock, from the residence of her parents, Ninetieth street, between Third and Fourth avenues, Yorkville.

DALTON.—On Wednesday evening, January 20, after a brief illness, Mrs. ROSANNA DALTON, wife of Patrick Dalton, in the 58th year of her age.

The friends of the family, and those of her sons, John V., Edward J. T. and Wm. H. Dalton, and of her son-in-law, James Bradley, are respectfully requested to attend ...

PERSONAL.

ANONYMOUS—REWARD FROM ANONYMOUS ($30) thirty dollars said to be paid her in consideration of value of about that amount of my property that was allowed to go to loss by a person who once was employed by me. D. FELL.

A YOUNG MAN, THOMAS HAIGAN, LEFT ... Second avenue, between Thirty-ninth and Fortieth streets, last September, and has not been heard of since. Information will be accepted by his brother Thomas at the above address.

CAPTAIN T. K. FULLER, LATE OF THE SEVENTY-fifth New York Volunteers, will confer a favor by informing the subscriber of his whereabouts.
GEO. D. MILLS, 33 Pearl street, New York.

FITZ HUNT WILL PLEASE CALL AT 134 CHURCH street, to see his brother John.

IF HENRY ALLAN HARRISON, SUPPOSED TO HAVE enlisted in a cavalry regiment about the 13th of November, 1863, will address box 1,351 New York Post office, he will hear of something to his advantage from his friends.

IVANHOE—WRITE A GOOD LONG LETTER. ADdress me as Chas. Long, station D. ADDIE.

INFORMATION OF THE WHEREABOUTS OF MR. F. G. West, who formerly lived at 321 West Thirty-fifth street, will be thankfully received by H. B. P., Metropolitan Hotel.

IF THE LADY WHO SAW HER TROY FRIEND ON Saturday afternoon, in Broadway, wishes to see him again, he would be pleased to see her. Answer through personal, when and where.

IF DENNIS SHANAHANN, WHO ARRIVED FROM Gibraltar two years since; or his brothers John and Patrick are in this city, they will hear of something to their advantage, by calling on the Captain of British brig Ann, Pier 50, East river.

IF MRS. NELLIE T——, FORMERLY OF LOUISVILLE, Ky., will send her address to C. H. P., station G, Spring street, she will hear of an old friend.

L. DU BOIS—WHAT HAS BECOME OF MA CHERE Petite? Am very anxious to hear from you. Old address 303 W—— S. Remember your promise of those lessons, with accompaniments. BETHUNE STREET.

MARGARET A. GREY LEFT NEW YORK FOR CALIfornia in 1855. If any of her friends are still living and will address a note to Albert Heywood, St. Nicholas ...

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALES.

A NUMBER OF WELL RECOMMENDED GERMAN females want situations as cooks, chambermaids and laundresses; nurses; girls for general housework, &c., at Mrs. LOWE'S German Institute, 17 Stanton st., near Bowery.

A SMART GIRL, 15 YEARS OF AGE, WANTS A situation in a respectable family, where she can make herself generally useful; is willing and obliging and fond of children. Call on or address Bridget Glennon, 89 Hamilton ave., South Brooklyn.

A YOUNG LADY WANTS A SITUATION AS COPY-ist. Address J. J., Herald office.

A SITUATION WANTED—AS CHILDREN'S NURSE and plain sewer, by a very capable woman; she is very fond of children and kind to them. Call for two days at 218 6th av., in the store.

A RESPECTABLE WOMAN WISHES THE WASH-ing of a few gentlemen or families; she understands washing and ironing in the best manner. Call at No. 9 West 31st st.

A VERY RESPECTABLE WOMAN, WITH NO INCUM-brance desires the situation of janitress of a building. Best references. Inquire at No. 4 New street, upper story.

HOUSEKEEPER.—A LADY WHO HAS HAD EX-perience in housekeeping, and can give good city references as to capacity, &c., wishes a situation in a private or widower's family; is willing to take care of one or two children. Inquire at or address (on Monday) 129 West 16th st.

SITUATION WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE WO-man, as a child's nurse; can take entire charge of it from its birth. None but a respectable family need apply at 140 7th av., corner of 21st st.

SEWING DONE IN FAMILIES, BY THE DAY OR week, by a lady with Wheeler & Wilson's machine. Call on or address Miss Segone, 300 West 15th st.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG LADY, OF EDUCATIONAL attainments and the highest respectability an engagement to read daily the news, poetry, general literature, or to act as amanuensis. Address, with name and place of residence, C. W., station D.

WANTED—A SITUATION, BY A YOUNG WOMAN, as cook; would assist with the washing and ironing; city reference. Call at 134 West 19th st., between 7th and 8th avenues.

WANTED—A SITUATION, BY A YOUNG HEALTHY woman, as wet nurse. Inquire at 222 13th st., in the store.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS USEFUL COMPANION to a lady, by an intelligent person of cheerful disposition, an excellent seamstress, reader and writer. Or any post where such qualities, combined with trustworthiness, would be valued. Address W. O., station D, Bible House.

WANTED—A SITUATION, BY A LADY OF MANY years' experience to assist in household duties, sewing, reading, writing or to instruct children in English and the rudiments of French and music. Address F. R. S., care of Dr. Dyer, No. 5 Bible House.

WASHING TAKEN—BY A FIRST CLASS LAUN-dress, with the best of reference, at 443 Third avenue, corner of Thirty second street, top floor, front rooms.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALES.

A GENTLEMAN, WITH A KNOWLEDGE OF THE modern and ancient languages, wishes a few engagements to read to ladies or gentlemen several hours per week. Will take a job of proofreading at moderate terms. Address F. R., Herald office.

A YOUNG MARRIED MAN DESIRES A SITUATION as bookkeeper or clerk, in any wholesale house; first class references. Address A. D. G., French's Hotel, N. Y.

AS HARDWARE CLERK.—A SITUATION WANTED as above, by a young man who has had four years' experience in the retail trade. Address D. W., box 103 Herald office.

AN ACTIVE, INDUSTRIOUS YOUNG MAN, AN AME-rican, 26 years of age, seeks a situation, at a low salary, either as general clerk or to oversee a factory or force of laborers in either South or Central America, Mexico or the West Indies; has had considerable business experience, is quick and correct at figures, speaks and writes French and German and is somewhat acquainted with the Spanish language. Address for one week, R. W., box 211 Herald office.

SITUATION WANTED.—A YOUNG MAN, FROM BOS-ton, Mass., desires a situation in some respectable employment; wages not so much an object as a good situation; good references given. Address Boston, Herald office.

SITUATION WANTED.—A PRACTICAL FARMER wishes to take charge of a farm. References if desired. Address Farmer Lock, box 494 Providence, R. I.

WANTED—A SCOTCHMAN OF 25 YEARS' EXPERI-ence in the care of horses in Great Britain and the United States, wants a situation in New York to act as foreman in a club stable, or to take charge of a large establishment of horses; references first class. Address Fifeshire, care of W. W. Springsteed, livery stables, Albany, N. Y.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG MAN, WHO HAS HAD four years' experience in a city bank, a situation as assistant cashier or bookkeeper. Best of references given. Address for three days, Assistant Teller, Herald office.

WANTED—A SITUATION, BY A YOUNG MAN, LATE-ly returned from the army, in a wholesale grocery or provision house, or in any other capacity in which he might be useful. Best reference given. Address Employment, box 4,322 New York Post office.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS SALESMAN IN ANY retail store, by a young man, fully competent to fill such a position. He is willing to make himself generally useful. Address for two days T. J. S., Herald office.

HELP WANTED—FEMALES.

ALL RESPECTABLE FAMILIES, BOARDING houses and hotels can be supplied with good servants from all nations (Protestant and Catholic) at Mrs. YORKSTON'S Office, marble building, 14 4th av.

A YOUNG LADY, UNDER 18, OF PREPOSSESSING appearance, can have a pleasant home and liberal compensation, as companion to a young widow lady living alone. Address Mrs. Flora, box 104 Herald office.

COOK.—WANTED, A PROTESTANT AMERICAN COOK; one who is not afraid of work and can come with good references. Such a one can hear of a good place, with good wages, in a private family, at 14 Front st., between 10 and 12 A. M.

EMBOSSER WANTED.—WANTED, A GOOD EMBOSS-er. Apply at 118 Nassau st., third floor. J. H. Riley on the door.

FAMILIES IN WANT OF HIGHLY RECOMMENDED, experienced servants, will find such by applying at the German Institute Employment office for all nations, opposite the Cooper Institute, No. 26 4th av. No charge till engaged.

GIRLS WANTED—TO MAKE FLAGS, AT THE United States Flag Depot, 153 South st., near Peck slip, up stairs; none but good sewers need apply.
POWELL & LOSKAMP.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED—AN AMERICAN WIDOW of refinement, good size, genteel appearance, about forty-five, and capable of making a good home pleasant and fully qualified to take charge of a house. Address, with name and residence, A. L., Herald office.

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED IMMEDIATELY.—ONE capable of taking the entire charge of the house, marketing, servant in kitchen, &c.; only those willing to do the chamberwork need call. Such a one, having furniture for her room, will find a good home at 174 East 23d st.

OPERATORS WANTED—TO QUILT CLOTH HATS; those having their own machines and who can work in the shop would be preferred. Experienced hands only need apply to Alfred P. Reynolds, 198 Broadway.

PAPER BOX MAKERS WANTED.—TEN GIRLS, ON small taste work. None but experienced girls need apply at 63 Duane st., up stairs.

SALESWOMEN WANTED.—MUST BE WELL AC-quainted with the sale of trimmings and fancy goods, and bring best of city references. Call before 9½ A. M. or after 5 P. M., on J. Liebmann, corner 6th av. and 28th st. No application received outside of those hours.

SALESWOMEN WANTED—TWO EXPERIENCED hands for the small ware and fancy business; also two smart, intelligent young women to learn the business; must reside with their parents in the city and have undoubted reference. Apply after 6 o'clock on Monday and Tuesday evenings at 650 and 252 Broadway.

WANTED—FOR STATEN ISLAND, A FIRST RATE German cook, who also understands English cooking. None need apply, without undoubted reference, at 53 Nassau street, room No. 4, second floor, on Monday, from 12 to 2 o'clock.

WANTED—A YOUNG GIRL, TO ASSIST IN TAKING care of children and to do plain sewing; must be neat and obliging and have good city references. Call from 10 to 1 at 107 West 20th st.

WANTED—A VERY COMPETENT, RESPECTABLE girl as child's nurse and seamstress; English or French preferred; good city testimonials will be required. Apply at 114 Montague st., Brooklyn.

WANTED—A GIRL, NOT OVER 14, TO TAKE CARE of an infant; an orphan preferred; must be very neat and domestic. Apply at or address 62 Broadway, room No. 6.

WANTED—IN A SMALL AMERICAN FAMILY, A good cook; willing to do general housework if required. Call at 330 East 16th st., between 1st and 2d aves.

WANTED—A FEW SALESWOMEN; GOOD EXPERI-enced hands in fancy goods.
SAMUEL TUCK, 737 Broadway.

WANTED—TWO STRONG, ACTIVE GIRLS. APPLY between 9 and 10 A. M., at No. 9 Barclay st.

WANTED—A WET NURSE. APPLY AT NO. 3 Madison ave.

WANTED—A GIRL TO DO GENERAL HOUSEWORK. Apply at 20 Mansfield place, 51st st., between 8th and 9th aves.

WANTED—A GOOD COOK, TO ASSIST WITH WASH-ing and ironing. Must be sober, honest, willing and neat. Only those with best of references need apply at 355 5th ave.

WANTED—A PROTESTANT GIRL TO DO CHAM-berwork and to take care of children; city references required. Apply at 10 Mansfield place, 51st st., between 8th and 9th aves. None but Protestants need apply.

WANTED—A WOMAN, IN A SMALL FAMILY, TO go to Morrisania; one who understands housekeeping in all its branches and is willing to work. To a competent person a pleasant home and good wages is offered. American or German preferred. Apply at 343 4th av.

WANTED—TWENTY GOOD, EXPERIENCED CLOAK makers; also a competent operator on Grover & Baker's machine. Apply at 314 Greenwich st.

WANTED—A GOOD, RESPECTABLE GIRL, TO DO general housework in a small family; wages $5 to $6 per month. Inquire at 213 Greenwich st., in the dry goods store.

WANTED—A GIRL TO DO GENERAL HOUSEWORK; a cool girl, who is willing to work. The highest wages will be paid. Inquire at 17 Centre st.

WANTED—CLOTH HAT AND CAP FINISHERS, AT Sprahan & Fahmers' 111 Broadway.

BILLIARDS.

BILLIARDS.—FOR SALE, A SPLENDID STOCK OF new and second hand Tables, with the latest improved combination cushions. Orders by mail for Tables and Trimmings promptly attended to by W. H. GRIFFITH, No. 116 Fulton street.

THE STANDARD AMERICAN BILLIARD TABLE AND Combination Cushions—Approved and adopted by the Billiard Congress of 1863. The best and only reliable Billiard Tables manufactured. Balls, Cues and every article relating to billiards for sale by PHELAN & COLLENDER, corner of Crosby and Spring streets, New York.

HELP WANTED—MALES.

A BOY WANTED—IN A CLOTH STORE. ADDRESS box 2,790 Post office.

A BOY, BETWEEN TWELVE AND FIFTEEN YEARS of age, wanted, to apprentice at the sign and ornamental painting. Apply at 97 Duane st., Hegar & Graham's, for one week, between 2 and 3 o'clock.

A STRONG BOY WANTED—TO LEARN THE BOOK-binding business; he has been in the business before. Inquire for Hills, 150 Forsyth st.

A YOUNG MAN WANTED—IN A CROCKERY STORE; one acquainted with the business preferred. Only those who can furnish excellent recommendations for honesty, sobriety, &c. may apply to Robt. P. Seiler, 222 3d av.

A GOOD OUT DOOR SALESMAN WANTED—TO SELL Morris & Co.'s Union Java Coffee. Apply on Monday at 172 Centre st., near Canal st.

BOY WANTED—IN A LAW OFFICE, TO RUN ER-rands and copy. Address, in handwriting of applicant, box 1,570 Post office.

CANVASSERS WANTED—TO SELL THE LIFE OF ARCHBISHOP HUGHES, the only correct and authentic edition, with portrait. Price 25 cents per copy. A most liberal reduction made to dealers and canvassers. From $50 to $100 a week can be made by experienced men. Apply at the office of the Metropolitan Record, 419 Broadway.

ENTRY CLERK WANTED.—ONE WITH GOOD RE-ferences may address box 120 Post office, stating age and salary expected.

FOR THE NAVY, MERCHANT AND WHALESHIPS.—Wanted, landsmen, seamen, firemen, coalpassers, carpenters, cooks and stewards; pay from $13 50 to $31 50 per month; also men for the army, at 87 West street, corner of Albany, up stairs.
JAMES & CO., Agents.

PORTER WANTED—ONE WHO WILL SLEEP IN THE building preferred. Apply at 705 Broadway.
A. A. TURNER.

WANTED—IN A PAPER WAREHOUSE, A SMART, active boy, to run of errands; one residing with his parents, with good reference. Apply for one week to A. P. Hard, 41 Beekman st.

WANTED—AS AN INSURANCE CLERK, A BOY, 12 to 15 years of age who writes a good hand and has some acquaintance with the insurance offices in this city. Address B., Herald office.

WANTED—A SALESMAN IN THE SKIRT BUSI-ness; liberal arrangements will be made with a good party. Address with real name and references, box 3,053 Post office.

WANTED—A FARMER, TO WORK AND TAKE EN-tire charge of a small, well stocked farm; or, will rent on shares, in Yonkers, one hour from city; must be a thorough worker. Scotch, German or English preferred. Neat cottage, and usual comforts. Inquire at HENDERSON'S Intelligence office.

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN; ALSO A BOY IN AN OF-fice. Address box 2,747 Post office.

WANTED—BY AN IMPORTER IN THE BUTTON, braid and trimming business, a young man to make sales from samples in the city and State. One having a connection preferred. Address W., box 211 Herald office.

WANTED—A SMART BOY, ABOUT 15 YEARS OLD, who lives with his parents; must have a knowledge of accounts; also first rate references; wages $3 a week. Address J. Morton, 231 Greenwich st., corner of Barclay.

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN FOR THE WHOLESALE and retail crockery business. Apply at 231 Greenwich street, corner of Barclay, from 11 to 12 o'clock. Must be a good packer.

WANTED—A FIRST CLASS WAITER, IN A PRIVATE house, must understand German. Call at northwest corner of 5th av. and 130th st.

WANTED—IN A WHOLESALE FANCY GOODS house, a boy to assist in entering goods and making out bills; must be a good and rapid writer and quick at figures. Address in handwriting of applicant, box 4,979 New York Post office.

WANTED—TWENTY WAITERS FOR THE CENTRAL Eating House, Philadelphia; must thoroughly understand checks and go on to-night; wages $20 per month. Apply to G. B. Foster, French's Hotel, from 12 to 3 o'clock this day.

WANTED—A BOY FROM 12 TO 15 YEARS OF AGE, in a wholesale liquor store, to make himself useful. Wages $4 a week. Call between 8 and 9 o'clock Monday morning at 45 Cortlandt street.

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN, AS ENTRY CLERK AND assistant bookkeeper. One who will make himself generally useful in a manufacturing business. Must have good references. Salary $200 to $250 first year. Address D. H., box 205 Herald office.

100 AGENTS WANTED—TO SELL A NEW ARTICLE needed by all; wages $10 to $15 per week and liberal commission; enclose fifty cents for sample and circular.
F. T. MASON, Herald office.

THE TRADES.

CARPENTERS—WANTED, 25 GOOD CARPENTERS on a long job, in completing a number of first class dwellings. Apply to Mr. Hamilton, room No. 6, 132 Broadway.

COMPOSITORS WANTED.—10 OR 12 FIRST RATE book compositors wanted at C. A. Alvord's, 15 Vandewater st. Apply to A. P. Middleton, Foreman.

JOB COMPOSITOR WANTED—MUST BE A GOOD workman; steady situation; wages $13 per week. Apply to C. C. Shelley, 68 Barclay st.

PRINTERS WANTED—FOUR GOOD COMPOSITORS; also a smart and intelligent lad, twelve or fourteen years old, to read copy. Apply at Clayton & Medole's, 40 Pine st.

SAWMAKERS WANTED—A FEW FIRST CLASS AN-vil hands. Address Welch & Griffith, 48 Congress st., Boston.

TO HATTERS.—ONE COMPETENT TO WORK AT finishing in all its branches, or to take charge of a shop, is open for an engagement. Address for one week R. V. F., box 165 Herald office.

TO PRINTERS.—A GOOD JOB COMPOSITOR wanted, to fill a permanent place, at the best wages; also, two or three book hands; to good workmen permanent situations will be given. Apply at 63 Duane st.

VARNISH MAKER WANTED.—A SOBER AND IN-dustrious man is wanted as an assistant in a varnish manufactory in Philadelphia; one who thoroughly understands making both turpentine and benzine varnish; a single man preferred; situation permanent. Address, giving reference, &c., T. Willets, 152 North Fourth street, Philadelphia.

WATCHMAKER WANTED—IMMEDIATELY, AT 125 York st., near corner of Bridge st., Brooklyn.

WANTED—TWO JOB COMPOSITORS; HIGHEST wages and steady employment. Apply to Slater & Riley, 147 Fulton st.

WANTED—A FIRST CLASS SUGAR BOILER, TO GO to the Pacific coast. Address, with references, box 2,821 New York Post office.

WANTED—A FIRST CLASS MACHINE RULER. TO a good, steady man, and one acquainted with railroad and steamboat work, a permanent situation and good wages. Apply to Campbell & Armstrong, New York city, or George Knapp & Co., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—SEVERAL GOOD BRITANNIA WORKERS to go to Philadelphia. Inquire at the Western Hotel, before 10 o'clock this morning, for E. Kaufman, or apply to Mr. Kaufman, 325 and 327 Cherry st., Philadelphia. Constant work and good wages given.

WANTED—A GOOD FILE GRINDER, TO WHOM full wages and regular employment will be given. Apply to John & William Rothery, Matteawan, Dutchess county, N. Y.

WANTED—A FIRST CLASS LITHOGRAPHIC EN-graver, also a first class lithographic transferer for commercial work. The highest wages and permanent employment will be assured to competent men. Apply at the office of French's Hotel, for three days, from 12 till 2 P. M., and from 5 till 8 P. M.

WANTED—A FEW GOOD BRASS FINISHERS AND cock makers. Best of wages given. Apply to T. Connor, 25 Centre st.

WANTED—TWO JOURNEYMEN GOLDBEATERS. Good hands will have steady work at New York wages, at 20 North Frederick st., Baltimore, Md.
L. HOFFMAN.

WANTED—THREE GOOD GORDON PRESS FEED-ers and one stout errand boy; one living with his parents preferred. Apply at T. R. Dawley's, 13 and 15 Park row.

WANTED—IMMEDIATELY, A GOOD TURNER, ONE who is accustomed to ship turning. Apply at C. & E. Poillon's, 224 South st.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED SILK HATTER; ONE who is thorough in all its branches and can come well recommended for character and experience can have steady employment by applying to the subscriber, No. 202 Main st., Buffalo.
M. L. COMSTOCK.

WANTED—TWO OR THREE GOOD POCKETBOOK makers; the highest wages in the trade paid to good hands. Also two boys that work at the business. Apply to H. A. Riely, 105 Nassau st., fourth floor.

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ON DEMANDE UNE FEMME DE CHAMBRE FRAN-çaise, sachant bien coudre et ayant de bons renseignements. S'adresser au 71 East 22d st., pendant cette semaine.

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A. DODWORTH'S DANCING ACADEMIES,
No. 204 Fifth avenue, New York.
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NEW YORK CLASSES—Mondays and Thursdays or Wednesdays and Saturdays. Children at 4 and gentlemen at 8 P. M.
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At 10 A. M. on Saturdays for children and young ladies.

BROOKES' DANCING ACADEMY, 361 BROOME ST.—
A NEW CLASS FOR TUESDAY.
All the fashionable Dances in one course of lessons.
LADIES meet Tuesdays and Fridays, from 3 to 6 P. M.
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LADIES' Primary Classes instructed by Mrs. Brookes.
Exhibition Ball February 1.
These elegant Rooms to let for select balls and sociables.
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BALLET MASTER DUMAS' PRIVATE DANCING Academy, 35 Seventh avenue, on Thirteenth street.—Classes every night and day for ladies, gentlemen and children. Redowa Waltz and all fashionable dances taught perfectly in six private lessons.

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MONDAY EVENING, Feb. 1, 1864.
Tickets to admit a gentleman and two ladies........ $2 00
Extra ladies and children's tickets each 50
The Exhibition will commence at 8 o'clock precisely, and conclude by 11 o'clock, with an intermission of half an hour after the fancy dances, when the extra seats and platforms will be removed, and the company join in the quadrilles and other dances of the evening.
No admittance to the rehearsal on Saturday, Jan. 30, except to those holding rehearsal tickets or tickets for the ball.

FERRERO'S DANCING ACADEMY, NO. 161 FIFTH avenue—Classes Wednesdays and Saturdays, or Mondays and Thursdays. Evening class for gentlemen, Mondays and Thursdays at 8 P. M.

J. H. SEARING'S PRIVATE DANCING ACADEMY, 293 Fourth avenue, near Twenty-third street.—New classes for the second quarter. Ladies, Wednesdays and Saturdays at 4; Gentlemen, Tuesdays and Fridays at 8. Classes at other times, and private lessons every day for those who wish to learn quickly.

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$45,000 WORTH OF RIBBONS, VELVETS, LACES, EMBROIDERIES, TRIMMINGS, FLOWERS, FEATHERS, HOSIERY, GLOVES, BRAIDS, BUTTONS, TAPES, BRUSHES, PERFUMERY, PORTEMONNAIES, FANCY ARTICLES, &c., &c.
ALL SELLING AT
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THOUSANDS OF COLLARS FROM 1c. UP.
PILES OF WORKED BANDS, 3c. UP.
DRESS TARLATANES AND ILLUSIONS, &c., UP.
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BRUSSELS, GUIPURE, TAR, THREAD, MECHLIN, AND OTHER LACES AT COST.
QUANTITIES OF BANDS, SETS,
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3,000 LACE VEILS, COMMENCING AT 10c.
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BUSINESS.
OVER 20,000 HANDKERCHIEFS,
LADIES' AND GENTS',
PLAIN, TAPE BORDERED, LACE, HEMSTITCH, NEEDLEWORK, FRENCH GOODS, SOME VERY FINE, COMMENCING AT 3c.
PILES OF SILK VELVETS, 1c. YARD, UP.
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RIBBONS AT YOUR OWN PRICES, 1c., UP.
LOTS OF LINING SILKS, 15c. UP.
LACE MANTILLAS AND SHAWLS, HALF PRICE.
ALL SPRING GOODS AT
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15,000 DOZENS SPOOL COTTON.
ONE LOT WE ARE SELLING 2 SPOOLS FOR 1c.
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AND YET ANOTHER LOT, SPLENDID COTTON, 2c.
AND FOR 200 YARD COTTONS, 3c.
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SEWING SILKS, 6c. DOZEN; SKIRT BRAIDS, 5c.; CROCHET BRAIDS, 1c.; WORKING COTTONS, 1c.; LADIES' PAGES, 3c.; BEST HOOKS AND EYES, 2c.; LINEN TAPES, 1c.; LOT OF CLARK'S SPOOL COTTON, 3c.; HEAD NETS, 6c.; TRIMMING BRAIDS, 2c.; MACHINE TWIST, 3c. SPOOL; SPOOL LINEN FLOSS, 2c.; SPOOLS CROCHET COTTON, 3c.; WITH BUTTONS, FANCY COMBS, PORTEMONNAIES, BRACELETS, BAGS, BRUSHES, &c., &c., &c.
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OVER 20,000 PAIRS OF GLOVES, OF EVERY KIND, FOR LADIES, GENTS, BOYS AND GIRLS, BOTH WINTER, SPRING AND SUMMER GLOVES, COMMENCING AT 3c. pair.
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PILES OF GENTS' LINEN COLLARS, 7c.
THOUSANDS OF NECKTIES, 6c., up.
LARGE QUANTITIES OF GOODS, OF WHICH IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO MENTION IN AN ADVERTISEMENT, AT ABOUT ONE-HALF PRESENT PRICES.
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and French Balmoral Skirts as worn in Paris,
JUST RECEIVED.
GAYNOR,
763 Broadway, between Eighth and Ninth streets.

CAMEL'S HAIR SHAWLS, FURS AND LACES.—A very liberal cash price will be paid by LOUIS ANRICH, 723 Broadway, under the New York Hotel, for Fur Capes, Muffs, Collars, Camel's Hair Shawls and fine Laces.

CORSETS AND SKIRTS.—MRS. ELOBR HAS THE largest and cheapest assortment in the city, and is receiving weekly from Paris fresh goods manufactured expressly for her up town trade. N. B.—Skirts made to order. Misses' Waists, Pads, Steels, Lacings, Rufflings, Edgings and Trimmings for Under Garments. Ladies' misses' and children's Vests, Drawers and Pantalets. Skirts of the newest shapes and best quality only 75 cents. The cheapest lot of plain and hemstitched Handkerchiefs in the city.

CHINTZES.
Just received by the latest European steamers, a large assortment of the newest styles of French and English Chintzes and
SLIP COVERINGS,
which we are offering at retail for
REASONABLE PRICES.
PATON & CO.,
341 Broadway.

CONTINUATION OF THE GREAT CLEARING SALE,
AT TUCK'S, 737 BROADWAY.
FANCY COMBS selling at cost.
LONG BEAD CHAINS, reduced to 75 cents.
Best quality WHITE KID GLOVES at $1.
Real THREAD LACE VEILS at $2 50.
Real POINT LACE COLLARS at $3.
A lot of FRENCH MUSLIN CAPS at $1.
A beautiful assortment of real SHETLAND SHAWLS.
Woollen Breakfast SHAWLS, SONTAGS, NUBIAS, &c.
LACES and EMBROIDERIES of every description.
Laces and Muslin WAISTS, HEADDRESSES.
Neck Fans, Scarfs, Ribbons, Flowers, Trimmings, &c.
CORNER BROADWAY AND WAVERLEY PLACE.

CLOAKS, CLOAKS, CLOAKS—GREAT CLEARING OUT Sale.—S. JONES will offer on Monday next the entire balance of his winter stock of Cloaks at a reduction of fifty per cent. Ladies who have not purchased and are about to purchase would do well to call and examine, as great bargains will be offered. 310 Canal street.

FURS, FURS, FURS.—$200,000 WORTH OF LADIES' and gents' fashionable Furs, which must be sold at an immense sacrifice. In order to effect a clearance of the above stock, the prices are reduced so low as to enable all those not having yet selected their furs to not fail in so doing by calling at the old and well established great Fur Emporium.
N. PHILLIPS, 273 Grand street.
N. B.—We have still on hand the newest style of ladies' Mink Talmas, Cloaks, &c.

FRENCH FLUTING.—ALL MATERIALS PUNCTUAL-ally fluted in an unsurpassed manner and delivered to all parts of the city, at Mrs. GOLDEN'S French Fluting Establishment, 18 Amity street. N. B.—A block and a half from Broadway.

GREAT CLEARING OUT SALE.
CARTAN, PLUNKETT & McCULLOUGH,
250 BOWERY,
In view of making some important changes in their business, have decided to clear out their entire stock of Dry Goods by the 1st of April. The goods are all marked down from 25 to 50 per cent, and must be sold regardless of cost. The following will show the reduction in our stock of Cloaks:—
Waterproof Cloaks, $8 00; will sell for $6.
Heavy Beaver, $10; will sell for $7 50.
Velvet Plush, $11; will sell for $9 50.
Castor Beaver, $18; will sell for $14.
We have opened for inspection about 2,000 Cloaks, in all the fashionable materials of the season. We will also offer a splendid stock of French Merinoes, Paramettas, Alpacas, in all the desirable shades, plain and plaid Reps, real Irish and French Poplins; together with a general assortment of Dress Goods, Balmoral Skirts, Blankets, Flannels, Shirting and Sheeting Muslin, &c., &c.
CARTAN, PLUNKETT & McCULLOUGH,
250 Bowery.

GLOVES, GLOVES, GLOVES, 50 CENTS.—REAL Paris Kid, ladies' and misses' fancy colors. Also 3,000 dozen real Alexandre's, closing at 75 cents, usual price $1 70. N. B.—The largest and cheapest stock of Hosiery, Gloves and Under Garments in the city. A full assortment of best quality Thread and Needle and Fancy Goods. Zephyr Worsted 15 cents, all colors, regular price 25 to 38 cents, at ELGER'S cheap store for first class goods, Nos. 880 and 882 Broadway, near Nineteenth street, east side. Remember ELGER'S.

HOUSEKEEPING GOODS, &C.
ARNOLD, CONSTABLE & CO. have now open Linen Shirtings and Sheetings, Table Damasks and Napkins, Damasks by the yard, Huckabucks, Towels and Towellings, Cotton Sheetings and Shirtings, Lancaster and Marseilles Quilts, bleached and unbleached Canton Flannels; Shaker, Gilbert, English patent and other popular makes of Flannels, plaid and striped Shirting, &c.
ALSO,
A large and varied stock of French Organdie, Swiss Tarlatan, Cambric, Jaconet and Nainsook Muslins, plain and fancy Marseilles, &c., &c.,
at prices greatly below present market rates.
Canal street, corner of Mercer.

LINENS.
ARNOLD, CONSTABLE & CO. will offer at retail, on Monday, 25th inst.,
1,000 pieces superior heavy Shirting
Linens at 20 per cent less than the market value.
ALSO,
Table Damask of every description.
Canal street, corner of Mercer.

RETIRING FROM BUSINESS.
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W. R. ROBERTS,
OF THE
CRYSTAL PALACE EMPORIUM,
252 BOWERY, 252
begs to announce to his patrons and the public that he has sold out his business to Messrs. A. C. STRENZ & R. WOLF, and that his entire stock of foreign and domestic
DRY GOODS,
amounting in value to nearly
ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS,
MUST BE SOLD OFF, AT OR BELOW COST PRICE, BY FEBRUARY 27, 1864.
The stock is all new and well selected, purchased at auction and from the importers, for cash. The goods are all first class and such as are to be found in first class establishments on Broadway, and comprise
BLACK AND FANCY SILKS, REAL IRISH AND FRENCH POPLINS, MERINOS, EPANGLINE, AND EMPRESS CLOTHS, VELOURS, ALPACAS, MOHAIRS, REPS,
and a general stock of
FANCY DRESS GOODS.
ALSO,
A LARGE STOCK OF ENGLISH BLANKETS, LINENS, DAMASKS, TOWELS AND TOWELINGS, FLANNELS, SHIRTING AND SHEETING MUSLINS, &c., &c.
ALSO,
A SUPERB STOCK OF
CLOAKS AND SHAWLS AND BALMORAL SKIRTS.
The public can rest assured that this is no
SHAM SALE
OR
FALSEHOOD,
put forward in order to dispose of an old worthless stock. Having gained their confidence after years of successful business, by candid and honorable dealings, I do not mean to forfeit now what I so highly value.
I will be pleased to see all my old customers and friends previous to my retiring, when I shall endeavor to prove how deeply I appreciate their past favors, by selling them
CHEAP GOODS,
At the real
COST PRICE, AND NO HUMBUG.
W. R. ROBERTS,
CRYSTAL PALACE EMPORIUM,
252 BOWERY.
P. S.—Remember, the stock must be sold off by Feb. 27.

DRY GOODS.

MRS. E. MORRIS,
CUSTOM SHIRTS AND COLLARS,
NO. 4 AMITY STREET.
Makes the best fitting and neatest finished in the city.

NEW SPRING PRINTS.
ARNOLD, CONSTABLE & CO.
will open on Monday, January 25, a large assortment of new styles in French and English Calicoes.
ALSO,
A SPLENDID LINE OF
SPRING GINGHAMS.
Canal street, corner of Mercer.

OPERA CLOAKS, OPERA CLOAKS,
AT THE METROPOLITAN CLOAK ROOMS,
425 BROADWAY, 425
(Entrance through Grover & Baker's salesrooms).
ELEGANT OPERA CLOAKS, of superfine white cloth.
ELEGANT OPERA CLOAKS, of white corded silk.
ELEGANT OPERA CLOAKS, of white merino.
BEAUTIFUL EMBROIDERED COLD CLOTH CLOAKS.
N. B.—Balance of stock of WINTER CLOAKS
SELLING AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.
HENRY MOORE, Agent.

RECEPTION AND PARTY DRESSES.
ARNOLD, CONSTABLE & CO.
are now offering an elegant variety of Evening Dress Materials
BY THE YARD AND IN ROBES.
OF THE LATEST PARISIAN STYLES,
AND AT POPULAR PRICES.
Corner of Canal and Mercer streets.

291 GRAND STREET. 291 GRAND STREET.
GREAT SALE. GREAT SALE.
GREAT SALE OF DRY GOODS,
in consequence of moving to
253 BOWERY,
Known as the
CRYSTAL PALACE EMPORIUM.
Having purchased Mr. W. R. Roberts' interest in the above named business, I must move my stock of goods in the Grand street store, consisting of a large stock of Dry Goods, Merinoes, Shawls, Cloaks, Balmorals, Domestic Goods, &c., by the 27th of February
REGARDLESS OF COST,
in order to open the
CRYSTAL PALACE EMPORIUM
With an
ENTIRE NEW STOCK OF SPRING GOODS,
By the 1st of March.
A. C. STRENZ.
291 Grand street, corner of Eldridge.

1,000 PIECES TARLATANES AND BOOK MUSLINS for 12½ cents a yard, at W. DAELAN'S, corner of Broome and Centre streets.

MILLINERY.

MADAME GILLESPIE'S DRESSMAKING AND PAT-tern Rooms, late 407, now 811 Broadway. Ladies who have not visited this establishment should do so at once and witness a style of work and fitting not often seen in this country.

FINANCIAL.

BONDS, AND STOCKS AND GOLD
Bought and sold at the Brokers' Board on commission.
JOHN B. MURRAY & CO.,
No. 11 Broad street, near Wall.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.—OFFICE OF THE MARIETTA and Cincinnati Railroad Company as reorganized.—Chillicothe, Ohio, January 16, 1864.—The Board of Directors have declared a cash dividend out of the earnings of the past six months, of three per cent on the first preference shares of this company; also a dividend of three per cent on the second preference shares will be paid in shares of the same class. These dividends are payable on the 15th of February next, those appearing on the books as stockholders on the 1st of January at the transfer office in New York will be paid at the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company in that city, those registered on the books at this office will be paid in Chillicothe.
W. E. WATSON, Secretary.

GAS LIGHT STOCKS FOR SALE
In various incorporated city companies.
JOHN B. MURRAY & CO.,
No. 11 Broad street, near Wall.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.—THE INTEREST ON the Bonds and Stocks of the Corporation of the city of New York, due February 1, 1864, will be paid on that day by DANIEL DEVLIN, Esq., Chamberlain of the City, at the Broadway Bank. The transfer books will be closed Tuesday, the 12th inst., at three o'clock P. M.
MATTHEW T. BRENNAN, Comptroller.
Department of Finance, Comptroller's Office, New York, January 4, 1864.

KENTUCKY AND TENNESSEE CLAIMS BOUGHT or collected. Parties having claims which they are desirous of selling or collecting, address T. H. McCOY, box 5,001 Post office.

MONEY TO LOAN—FOR A TERM OF YEARS, AT 6 per cent, on improved city property, or at 7 per cent in Jersey City [illegible]. No commission charged. Apply to AMHERST WRIGHT, Jr., attorney at law, 229 Broadway, room 27.

MONEY TO LOAN AT 6 PER CENT—ON IMPROVED property, in sums to suit applicants, for a term of years.
EDMUND HURRY, 80 Cedar street.

NAVY AGENTS' VOUCHERS WANTED.
JOHN B. MURRAY & CO.,
No. 11 Broad street, near Wall.

OFFICE OF THE ERIE RAILWAY COMPANY, NO. 187 West street, New York, Jan. 12, 1864.
Dividend.—The Directors of this company have this day declared a dividend, from the earnings of the road for six months ending 31st December, 1863, of four per cent on the Common Capital Stock, free of United States income tax.
Also a dividend of three and one half per cent on the Preferred Stock, the company assuming and paying the United States income tax out of the undivided earnings belonging to the preferred stock account.
Both payable at the Treasurer's office. Rate place on the first day of February next, to the registered holders of stock, at the closing of the books.
The transfer books of both Preferred and Common stock will be closed at the close of business, on Saturday, the 16th instant, and be re-opened on the morning of Tuesday, the 2d day of February.
HORATIO N. OTIS, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE LAWRENCE COUNTY COAL AND Oil Company.—The six per cent coupons of the first mortgage bonds of this company, due February 1, 1864, will be paid, on presentation at the office of the Company, No. 42 Cedar street, on and after the 1st day of February, 1864.
PETER WILLIAMS, Secretary.

OFFICE NEW YORK FLOATING DRY DOCK COM-pany, 204 South street, January 27, 1864.—The Board of Directors have this day declared a quarterly dividend of four (4) per cent, payable on the first day of February next. The transfer books will be closed until the day of payment.
H. V. MASON, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE GERRARD FIRE INSURANCE CO., No. 1 Pine street, Jan. 12, 1864.
The directors have this day declared a dividend of five per cent, free of government tax, payable on demand.
JOHN R. SMITH, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE McGREGOR WESTERN RAILWAY Company, No. 9 Wall street.—New York, January 12, 1864.—The coupons from the First Mortgage Bonds (Eastern division) of the McGregor Western Railway Company due February 1, 1864, will be paid at this office on and after presentation at this office.
H. H. BOODY, Agent.

PUBLIC NOTICE.
THE PUBLIC MINING AND MANUFACTURING STOCK EXCHANGE BOARD.
MEETS DAILY AT 51 WILLIAM STREET.
Commencing at 11 A. M., punctually.
ALBERT H. NICOLAY, Manager.

SIX PER CENT.—PERSONS INDEBTED FOR SEVEN per cent loans on good city property, four, or taking that, can change them to six per cent, for three or four years, by addressing P. BENJAMIN, 25 West Forty fifth street.

THE FIREMEN'S FUND INSURANCE COMPANY,
112 BROADWAY.
NEW YORK, Jan. 14, 1864.
A dividend of three and a half per cent has been declared, payable on demand, free from government tax.
HENRY BECKMAN, Secretary.

THE SUSQUEHANNA AND WYOMING VALLEY Railroad and Coal Company, 46 Pine street, New York, Jan. 6, 1864.—The directors have this day declared a dividend of ten per cent, free of government tax, payable to the stockholders on or after the 15th inst. The transfer books will close on the 20th inst.
ROBERT L. VIELE, President.

U. S. NAVY PRIZE MONEY COLLECTED AND paid at the office of SOMES, BROWN & CO., No. 2 Park place.

WANTED—FROM $2,000 TO $3,000 IN CASH, TO make up spring orders for Comets and Patent Spiral Spring Pads. One half the profits for the use of money. Inquire of P. McLEAN, 61 Chambers street.

$14,000 TO LOAN (NO BROKERAGE ASKED), at 6½ per cent per annum, for a term of three or five years, on first bond and mortgage on first class city property. No broker need apply. Address Agent, Herald office, stating location of property.

$50,000 WANTED, ON BOND AND MORTGAGE on improved, unencumbered city real estate down town worth $90,000. Address box 1,055 Post office.

$125,000 TO LOAN AT SIX PER CENT INTER-est, for ten or fifteen years, on real estate in this city. Apply in the office of the People's Fire Insurance Company, to JOHN P. CONREY, No. 6 Wall st.

THE FIREMEN.

AT A SPECIAL MEETING OF FORT WASHINGTON Engine Company No. 27, held on Monday, January 18, 1864, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:—
Whereas, it has pleased the Almighty, in His divine providence, to remove from our midst by death our esteemed fellow member, George Saul, it is manifestly the mournful duty of this company, composed as it is chiefly of his most intimate and personal friends, to give expression to their profound sorrow for the irreparable loss sustained by them in being deprived of the company of so true a member, to bear willing testimony to the many good and noble virtues of our deceased friend and associate; be it, therefore,
Resolved, That in the decease of our friend and associate, George Saul, this company has lost an intelligent, upright and honorable member, the Fire Department a good and faithful representative, while to the circle of his immediate relatives and friends, particularly to his bereaved family, his loss is an irreparable affliction, and we hereby tender them our heartfelt condolence in this their hour of tribulation.
Resolved, That in consideration of our respect for the memory of our deceased associate, the members of this company will attend his funeral in a body, and that they wear the usual badge of mourning for the period of thirty days, and will cause the engine house to be shrouded in mourning.
Resolved, That the secretary cause a copy of the foregoing preamble and resolutions to be engrossed, suitably framed, and transmitted to the family of deceased, and also cause the same to be published in the Sunday Herald and Mercury.
WM. HARRIS, Jr., Foreman.
GEO. RHODE, Secretary.
M. J. QUINN,
B. MURPHY, } Committee.
S. BECKLEY,

THE BALL SEASON.

AN UP TOWN BALL ROOM.—MR. TRENOR'S BEAU-tiful Ball Room, 65 West Thirty fourth street, is open for a few engagements in this month, and four or five evenings in February. Ball committees will find these rooms the most desirable anywhere. Classes open till May.

GRAND MASQUERADE.—ALL PERSONS DESIROUS of making a good appearance (either comic or fancy) at masquerades should call on BUNKER'S new Costumes. The finest assortment of Dresses, Wigs, Curls, &c., in the city. Costume and Fancy Dresses made to order, at 150 Fourth street, near Sixth avenue.

THE GRAND BALL.—LADIES' HAIR DRESSED IN all the latest style. A great variety of Grecian curls, waterfalls and braids. Wigs made and loaned for masquerades. Hair jewelry made.
E. PECKHAM, 223 Grand street, near Bowery.

THE MILITARY.

ATTENTION, SOLDIERS.—A LAW OFFICE FOR THE transaction of your business. Persons desiring to enlist should avail themselves of the superior advantages of this office. Information given as to the location of regiments in the field. When and how to secure the largest cash bounties in this and other States. Persons enlisted if desired, and bounties collected without discount. Recruits have the choice of regiments. Pensions, bounties and back pay collected on terms to suit claimants. D. T. WASHBURN, Attorney and Counsellor, 263 Broadway.

AT NO. 3 BEEKMAN STREET, ROOM NO. 9—MEN wanted for the Fifth and Eighth Heavy Artillery, at Baltimore. The highest bounty paid. Call and see for yourself.
SHELDON.

A PROTECTIVE ARMY AND NAVY LAW OFFICE.—The most reliable information free. Prize claims and all other army and navy claims collected. Counsel given in army and navy affairs. Office of D. S. MOULTON, Attorney and Counsellor, 345 Broadway, two doors above Wall st.

A CAUTION.—PERSONS WHO WOULD ESCAPE IM-position and fraud, and obtain just the reliable information necessary to secure the highest bounties in the best regiments, stationed in the most desirable locations, should apply at the United States law office, Dey street, one door from Broadway. Advice free. An ample compensation is made to government, under whose license the undersigned acts. A squad of select men immediately wanted for choice artillery and cavalry regiments. R. B. WESTBROOK, Attorney and Counsellor at Law.

ABLE BODIED MARRIED MEN CAN GET $800 A year, and single men can get $500, besides rations and clothing, if they will volunteer; they will have the choice of artillery, cavalry or infantry, and can enter either division, without pay, [illegible] at PHINNEY & CO.'S Law Office, No. 9 Chambers street.

CENTRAL BUREAU
FOR THE EQUALIZATION OF THE DRAFT.
Office 146 Canal street.
Men from the country, emigrants and others, desiring to enlist and receive the highest bounties paid in New York, New England and elsewhere, will obtain all needful information at this office. Supervisors and others paying extra bounties will please continue to address us as above.

FORTIFICATION ARTILLERY RECRUITS WANTED.—To fill up my own command. The highest bounties paid cash; also a premium of $30 to good men will be paid by myself when mustered under my command. Also there will be a chance to join in Light Field Artillery, under old experienced officers. One lieutenant, two sergeants, one quartermaster sergeant, two musicians, ten teamsters and three colored servants wanted. To responsible men furloughs and family relief tickets will be given. Office, No. 4 Greenwich street.
JOHN J. RINK, late Captain of Engineers,
Captain of the Sixteenth New York Artillery.

NEW YORK COUNTY VOLUNTEER COMMITTEE.
OFFICE 240 BROADWAY.
30,000 VOLUNTEERS WANTED.
The following are the pecuniary inducements offered:—
COUNTY BOUNTY, cash down $300
STATE BOUNTY 75
UNITED STATES BOUNTY to new recruits 302
UNITED STATES BOUNTY addition to veteran soldiers 100
.... 477
Total $777
Applications to be made personally at the office of the committee.
GEORGE OPDYKE, Mayor.
MATTHEW T. BRENNAN, Comptroller.
ORISON BLUNT, Supervisor.
ELIJAH F. PURDY, Supervisor. } County Committee.
WILLIAM R. STEWART, Supervisor.
WILLIAM M. TWEED, Supervisor.
ORISON BLUNT, Chairman.
New York, Nov. 16, 1863.

ONE VOLUNTEER IS WORTH TWO PRESSED MEN.—Captain SPENCER will pay the highest cash in hand bounties and all expenses, to fill the quota of his town, in infantry, cavalry and artillery. 525 Greenwich street, near Spring.

PRIZE MONEY, BACK PAY, BOUNTY AND CLOTH-ing are now collected and Pensions procured. Mustered out soldiers of two years regiments, who have not received their $100 bounty, please call. CLARKE & ELLIOTT, 639 Broadway, near Bleecker street.

SEVENTY-NINTH (HIGHLANDERS) N. Y. V.—RE-cruits wanted at the Mercer House, corner of Broome and Mercer streets, and at the Manhattan Shades, 10 West Fourth street. Join the veterans of twenty battles, and where your full bounty is guaranteed by a responsible officer.
JOHN MORE, Lieutenant Colonel
Seventy-ninth N. Y. V. (Highlanders), Recruiting officer.

SPINOLA'S GRAND DIVISION.—$853 FOR VETERAN volunteers, of which $325 cash; $677 for other volunteers, of which $302 cash. If you wish to get the highest bounty, and all of it, and the privilege of selecting your regiment, then call on F. DE BOAR, authorized recruiting officer, corner of Houston and Essex streets, until 11¾ A. M.

SOLDIERS' PAY, BOUNTY AND PENSION MONEY promptly collected, and money advanced on approved claims, by THOS. J. HUGHES, 79 Cedar street, near the Post office, New York.

SECOND NEW YORK ARTILLERY.
SIXTY MEN WANTED.
$465 bounty to veterans.
$677 bounty to recruits.
$325 cash down to veterans.
$150 cash down to recruits.
Recruiting office
442 Eighth avenue.

TO YOUR TENTS, O ISRAEL!—A NEW HOSPITAL Tent, of best Russia canvass, 16x8 feet, at No. 1 Park place, room No. 11.

THE HIGHEST BOUNTIES—THE BEST BRANCH OF the service, the easiest duty, the least laborious and least exposed. A few men required to fill the quotas of regiments which are in the most comfortable quarters. No long marches or carrying of knapsacks. Some are wanted for petty duty near Baltimore. Apply to Captain COMBS, 60 Lispenard street, general recruiting officer.

VOLUNTEERS WANTED—$852 BOUNTY, $500 CASH in hand. Skilled clerks procured for families. Also Firemen, Coal Passers, Seamen, Ordinary Seamen and Landsmen for United States Navy. Agents and runners liberally dealt with. Office 164 Maiden lane.
Captain PATRICK McGINNITY.

63D REGIMENT, IRISH BRIGADE.—YOUNG MEN wishing to join Sheridan's company can apply at Tammany Hall, daily from 10 to 2 o'clock; as he is going to take the field.
JOHN H. GLEESON, Captain and Recruiting officer.

$775 BOUNTY.—UNITED STATES ENGINEERS pay $775 to $34 per month. No picket duty. Recruits sent on to the front. N. Y. Head quarters at G. GILLESPIE, United States Engineers, 19 Cornelia street.

$852 BOUNTY.—$400 CASH FOR THE COUNTRY; $225 the day they are sworn in; soldiers sent on, to $852 cash down. Apply at 14 Bowery or 4 New Bowery, to Captain M. NOONAN.

$852 BOUNTY.—VOLUNTEERS, ATTENTION!—YOU will receive the city bounty of $300 as soon as you pass the doctor; $150 when sent to camp, besides the United States bounty. You can enlist in any cavalry, artillery or infantry regiment belonging to New York. Apply at 422 Broadway, New York.

$968 FOR VETERAN VOLUNTEERS.
$851 FOR NEW RECRUITS.
$445 CASH.
JAMES HENRY,
Recruiting Agent for Hudson county, N. J.,
12 Montgomery street, Jersey City, Cortlandt street ferry.

10,000 VOLUNTEERS WANTED IMMEDIATELY, for the several regiments now in the field, cavalry, infantry and artillery. All who are going to enlist apply at 160 Broadway, and secure the highest cash bounties, and avoid all coopers and swindlers.

WATCHES, JEWELRY, &C.

AT 407 BROADWAY—THE OLD ORIGINAL L. JA-COBS, established 1843, is now selling Gold, Silver, Gold Plated and Composition Watches and Chains at prices 25 per cent below any house in the city. He particularly calls the attention of those who want Watches for the army or to be sent to the soldiers, or persons wanting to sell by the dozen or single one, at corresponding prices. Information or watches sent for approval or built on any part of the country or army. Our long established business is a guarantee to those who may remit us by mail that their orders will be as promptly and carefully attended to as if they were present. Remember, the old established house of L. JACOBS, 407 Broadway, between Walker and Lispenard streets.

A GOLD PLATED HUNTING WATCH (NOT COM-position), $12; also a Gold Plated Watch, $10; a double plated on Silver Hunter, $12 50; a solid silver, full jewelled Lever, hunting cases, $15; an extra one do., $20. Every watch warranted for two years, with a special guarantee.
Original L. JACOBS, 407 Broadway.

ATTENTION.—WATCHES, WATCHES, WATCHES. Joseph Solomon, Diamond Broker, has been appointed sole agent for the American watches that only cost $9, $11 and $14, and cannot be told from a $75 gold watch. Also on hand a fine assortment of the gold and silver English and Swiss Watches of all the most celebrated makers. Watches thoroughly repaired by the best workmen. All goods sold by us are warranted as represented.
JOSEPH SOLOMON, Diamond Broker, 430 Broadway.

DIAMONDS—A FIRE-LIKE. HOW IS IT POSSIBLE that LOUIS ANRICH can pay such high prices for Diamonds? It is a positive fact he pays 50 per cent more than any other person; try him. He is considered a good judge, and has been established in New York since the inauguration of the late Martin Van Buren. Place of business 723 Broadway, under the New York Hotel.

ESTABLISHED TWENTY YEARS.—ORIGINAL L. JACOBS, 407 Broadway.—A very large lot of new and second hand Gold and Silver Watches in exchange for greenbacks at gold prices; Silver Watches, from $10 to $30; Gold do., $20 to $125. A descriptive list sent on application.

FOUR DOLLARS WILL BUY A SOLITAIRE CALI-fornia Diamond Ring; $5 will buy a Cluster California Diamond Ring; $5 will buy a Solitaire California pair of Ear Knobs; $10 will buy a Cluster Set of Pin and Ear Rings, beautifully enameled. These goods were first introduced by me, twenty years ago, and they still maintain their popularity. They are mounted in eighteen carat gold, and, without exception, the best imitation of the real diamond. No stone can compare with them in brilliancy. Sent by express or mail.
Original L. JACOBS, 407 Broadway.

FINE GOLD WATCH CHAINS, NEW STYLES, FOR ladies and gentlemen, fifteen, twenty, twenty-five, thirty-five, fifty to one hundred dollars each. For sale by
G. C. ALLEN,
No. 415 Broadway, one door below Canal street.

GOLD WATCHES FOR LADIES AND GENTLEMEN.
Fine Gold English Patent Lever Watches—$55, $75, $100, $125, $150 to $250 each.
Gold Hunting Detached Levers—$45, $55, $60, $70, $80, $90, $100 to $200 each.
Gold Hunting Cylinder Watches—$40, $45, $50 to $75 each.
Enamelled Watches—$60, $70, $80 to $200, and some with diamonds on the outside of case.
Gold Watches for ladies as low as $25, $28, $30 and $35 each.
GEO. C. ALLEN, 415 Broadway, one door below Canal street, formerly No. 11 Wall street.

GENUINE DIAMOND RINGS, VERY CHEAP, FOR sale, to pay advances.
ORIGINAL L. JACOBS, 407 Broadway.

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WALLACK'S THEATRE, Broadway.—ROSEDALE.

WINTER GARDEN, Broadway.—TICKET OF LEAVE MAN.

OLYMPIC THEATRE, Broadway.—A BULL IN A CHINA SHOP—MAZEPPA.

NEW BOWERY THEATRE, Bowery.—MAZEPPA—DUMB MAN OF MANCHESTER—TIGER OF THE SEA.

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NEW YORK MUSEUM OF ANATOMY, 618 Broadway.—CURIOSITIES AND LECTURES, from 9 A. M. till 10 P. M.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC, Brooklyn.—GERMAN OPERA—LA DAME BLANCHE.

HOOLEY'S OPERA HOUSE, Brooklyn.—ETHIOPIAN SONGS, DANCES, BURLESQUES, &c.

New York, Sunday, January 24, 1864.

THE SITUATION.

No new movements are reported in the Potomac army. General Kilpatrick has returned from Washington, and it is reported that he will soon be appointed to a command in another department.

Despatches from Port Hudson state that the enemy are concentrating in that vicinity and about Baton Rouge, and that General Ullmann is almost daily receiving prisoners from the rebel lines, who express themselves disgusted with the service of the confederacy. Many of them never heard of Mr. Lincoln's amnesty proclamation.

The Navy Department has official information of the capture of several blockade runners within the last two weeks. On Christmas Eve the Antona captured, off the coast of Texas, south of Galveston, the British schooner Exchange, claiming to be from Nassau, with a clearance from Vera Cruz, for New Orleans, with a valuable cargo of coffee, nails, cotton goods, &c.

On the 31st of December the Kennebec captured the rebel steamer Gray Jacket, as we before mentioned, chasing her all night, while attempting to escape out of Mobile Bay during a heavy blow, and bound for Havana; and on January 7 the Kennebec also captured the rebel schooner John Scott, while attempting to escape out of Mobile Bay for Havana, loaded with cotton and turpentine. She is represented as an American yacht, built at Newburg, N. Y., and her "foreign" name was the Victoria.

The latest news from Chattanooga is to the 23d. Trains were then running regularly to Nashville. The greatest distress exists in the rebel army. The mules are being killed for food. Desertions are frequent and sometimes number over a hundred in one day. The Tennessee and Kentucky troops in the rebel army are said to be kept under guard to prevent desertion.

THE LEGISLATURE.

The State Senate was not in session yesterday, having adjourned over from Friday till Monday.

In the Assembly a number of measures received attention. Among the bills receiving favorable reports from committees were those for the incorporation of the Niagara Ship Canal Company, relative to the lands of aliens, and in relation to the Kings County Judge. Among various bills introduced was one for another railroad in this city, to run through Grand and other streets. Notices were given of bills for the extension of the Chenango Canal, to incorporate the Library Fund of this city, and for various other purposes of little interest except to particular localities. Resolutions instructing the Judiciary Committee to prepare a bill to enable claimants against the State to carry their suits into the Supreme Court were introduced, but laid over.

MISCELLANEOUS NEWS.

There are six European steamships, with mails and passengers, due at American ports to-day. These vessels sailed for their respective destinations in the following order, viz:—

Steamship.	From.	Day of Sailing.	For.
Louisiana	Queenstown	Jan. 6	New York
Etna	Queenstown	Jan. 7	New York
Damascus	Londonderry	Jan. 8	Portland
City Limerick	Queenstown	Jan. 10	New York
Canada	Queenstown	Jan. 10	Halifax & Boston
Kedar	Queenstown	Jan. 13	New York

The news by the Canada will be five days and that by the Kedar eight days later than the report of the Columbia, telegraphed from Newfoundland. The Columbia reached Boston yesterday morning. She left Galway on the 5th inst., and reports having been "detained by ice" on the voyage. It is to be presumed that the same obstruction has retarded the course of the other six steamers also.

The steamer Saladin, from Kingston, Jamaica, on the 6th inst., and Port-au-Prince on the 8th, arrived at this port yesterday, after a tedious and boisterous passage. On her way to New York she broke a portion of her machinery, and had to make part of her way under sail. She brings no news of particular importance. The *Mercantile Intelligencer* of the 6th of January says:—The recent transactions do business here have been very limited in extent, being confined, with few exceptions, to demands for immediate consumption. There have been large arrivals of American provisions and breadstuffs, and the excessive stocks have unsettled the market, the trade being apparently unwilling to operate to any extent. There is, however, a general feeling among the importers that in a short time the present prevailing dulness, naturally succeeding the stir for the holidays, will have passed off, and business will become more active. Great excitement has been created in the island by the arrival of several American traction engines, which run over the roughest roads without rails of any kind. In a trip from Kingston to St. Andrew, a distance of seven or eight miles, on an inclined plane, the performance of one of these engines gave universal and complete satisfaction. This is a new era for the island.

The Surrogate yesterday settled the accounts of Richard Morrill's estate; also of Thomas McAveny's estate. The injunction against the executor of Thomas Collyer's estate was modified. The money lying in the city treasury belonging to James Gades' estate was ordered paid to his next of kin.

General Edward Ferrero, who commands the First division of the Ninth army corps, writes from Blane's Cross Roads, East Tennessee, that he has succeeded in re-enlisting as veterans seven regiments of infantry and two batteries of his command.

A fire occurred about eleven o'clock last evening at No. 182 Chrystie street, occupied as an organ and furniture manufactory. The loss is estimated at about $7,000, on both workshops and building.

The stock market was steady yesterday, and there was very little deviation from Friday's prices, the bulls and bears having evidently decided to lay over until Monday morning for the commencement of new operations. Government securities were firm, and the five-twenty bonds were sold at 104½. The seven and three-tenths Treasury notes have advanced to 107½. The gold market was active at an advance in the rate of premium to 157½.

There was general dulness in commercial circles on Saturday, owing to the lower price of gold and the fall in exchange. Prices of most goods were merely nominal, though holders were pretty firm in their views. Transactions were moderate. At the Produce Exchange things were mixed; but there was no especial activity in any article—nearly all the business having been at about Friday's prices. Groceries were quiet. Cotton unchanged. Petroleum dull, lower and nominal. Freights quiet.

The Military Incapacity of the Administration.

For information in relation to the movements of our armies and all the battles that are fought the people look first to the press. But after all have read what the correspondents say there are some few who want to hear the general's account of his own movements, and look somewhat impatiently for his report; for in such documents they expect to see a more particular account of the history of each affair. They expect to see stated, at least, the object that it is proposed to gain by each battle; how it is proposed to gain it, and, withal, an honest recital of the result. And were the reports of generals up to such a standard they would be very interesting and important papers. They would enable the people to judge more clearly than they always can exactly how the administration carries on the war, and what atrocious blunders it continually makes.

But the truth is that such reports are of very little account. They hardly ever tell the people any more than they already knew from the papers, and they are always especially delicate upon the blunders of the War Department. Sometimes a general will point out very caustically the errors of a rival general whom he hates, or of a subordinate whom he fears; but that is, in the main, the extent of his disclosures. Two prominent generals who might have given the country some very remarkable intelligence in relation to the administrative blunders have never yet given any reports at all of extensive movements made under their direction, and battles fought while they had command. These are Generals Burnside and Hooker. Both of these men fought battles near Fredericksburg, and reports have not yet been received from either as to his campaign. Both blundered terribly; but it is probable that the Washington authorities blundered in those matters even more terribly than the generals did. And when those reports are sent in, if they are written boldly and honestly, they will doubtless disclose one of the most disgraceful chapters of administrative incapacity that the world has ever seen.

There are two marked exceptions to the usual reticence and insipidity of generals' reports. These are the reports of Generals Halleck and McClellan. Only some inconsiderable portions of General McClellan's report have yet been made public; but those portions are honest and distinct. They show the country just where the blame lies for the continuance of the war to the present time. The people readily contrast what the administration has actually done with what General McClellan proposed to do, and from that contrast they as readily infer the utter incapacity of those who put this able soldier aside to conduct the war on their own plan. In that report the letters of General McClellan to the President and those of the President to Gen. McClellan are given; and in those letters we see the well considered counsel of a farsighted soldier turned from its purpose by trashy little epistles constructed upon the model first furnished by Jack Bunsby. "If your plan is better than my plan, then my plan is worse than your plan," says the President chosen to rule over thirty millions of people. "If so be that this ship's gone down," says Jack Bunsby, "why so; but if so be that this ship aren't gone down, why so also." And Jack Bunsby's nonsense is the less nonsensical of the two.

General Halleck's report was crammed from the first line to the last with evidence of the military incapacity of the President. It was almost like a bill for the impeachment of that functionary. Beginning with the first Fredericksburg battle, it threw the whole responsibility of that massacre upon the President. Upon the President also it threw the responsibility for the Chancellorsville slaughter. And a third great disaster—that at Chickamauga—was traced to Burnside's failure to reinforce Rosecrans, and the President was responsible for Burnside. No administration in Europe, and but very few thrones, could survive three such defeats; and yet our administration is to go on and perhaps repeat all this for us in the present year.

The Blundering of Congress, Government Officials and Government Newspapers on the Subject of Internal Taxation.

The House of Representatives at Washington has passed the act to increase the internal revenue with so much haste as to warrant the presumption that the measure has not been fully digested, and that the Senate will interpose objections which will cause the return of the bill to the House, where it will undergo another ordeal, and probably elicit a prolonged discussion. In the discussion thus far a lamentable degree of ignorance on the subject of excise duties has been exhibited by members, and from this cause there is reason to apprehend a law may be perfected that will still fail to meet the end proposed.

Last year Congress passed an internal revenue act which proved almost an utter abortion. It was calculated to raise one hundred and fifty millions of dollars upon the plan proposed, and scarcely half that amount was realized. This year the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, through the Secretary of the Treasury, puts in another programme for internal taxation, from which he hopes to make good the deficit by imposing additional taxes upon the raw material and articles of home manufacture, as well as upon articles of home consumption, including native wines and whiskey. In this last budget of the Commissioner what was obscure before now becomes so the more. What was before blind, doubtful, unequal, onerous and unjust, is still foggy and inexplicable. In this work the Commissioner was assisted by amendments to the excise laws suggested by a convention of assessors held in Philadelphia on November 12 and 13, 1863; and he was again enlightened or befogged, as it may prove to be, on the subject by suggestions made at a similar convention held in Cleveland, Ohio, on last December 16, 17 and 18. In the latter convocation the question mostly mooted in the open discussions was whether it were better to recommend an increased tax on the raw material or on the manufactured article. It was finally concluded to tax both, and an interminable list of taxable articles was prepared and presented to the Commissioner, together with a very modest allusion to the increase of the assessors' own pay.

Following in this line of equivocal support, up came, to the relief or to the dismay of the Commissioner, the partisan or government press. The chief organ of the administration in this city contents itself with declaring its belief that fraudulent returns have been made to the assessors, and hence the meagre amount realized. Another organ argues in favor of taxing "primary manufactures," leaving the amount to be collected a problem to be unravelled by experience. Other administration journals join in uttering visionary or superficial views on the subject, but not one enunciates a plain, common sense proposition to meet the difficulties with which they imagine the whole subject of internal taxation to be fraught. It is so with Congress down, through an army of revenue assessors and collectors, to the paltriest newspaper that brays its support of the measures of the administration. Meanwhile, the credit of the government suffers, the people become restless with revolutionary tendencies, and the whole fabric of our political organization becomes weakened and tremulous.

What should be done in the midst of this reign of official imbecility and bludgeoning on the subject of taxation? Let us endeavor to show in a few words. It was a maxim of a sound political economist that "1. The subjects of every State ought to contribute towards the support of the government as nearly as possible in proportion to their respective abilities—that is, in proportion to the revenue which they respectively enjoy under the protection of the State." And further, "2. The tax which each individual is bound to pay ought to be certain, and not arbitrary; the time of payment, the manner of payment, and the quantity to be paid, ought all to be clear and plain to the contributor and to every other person. 3. Every tax ought to be levied at the time and in the manner in which it is most likely to be convenient for the contributor to pay it. 4. Every tax ought to be so contrived, as both to take out and keep out of the pockets of the people, as little as possible over and above what it brings into the public treasury." This reaches the point, and should teach our revenue tax meddlers what they should do in the present emergency. It tells them that they should not alarm the people unnecessarily by multitudinous details of the articles to be taxed; that they should not attempt to bolster public credit by exhibiting an interminable list of small things excisable and leave the weightier and more material objects of revenue almost untouched. It tells them that they should not tax where it would cost more to collect the amount than to leave the article untaxed. It teaches them to avoid pettifogging in the matter of taxation, and to adopt the higher and grander system for realizing an adequate internal revenue which the experience of older nations presents to their judgment and scrutiny. In short, it tells them to go to the fountain head, and assess and collect taxes in proportion to the revenue the taxpayer derives from the protection of the government under which he is assessed. Thus, as the government is disposed to exert its power to infuse prosperity into all branches of trade, commerce and manufactures, to prevent undue foreign competition, to stimulate private industry, to maintain, as far as possible, a sound financial system, including a good currency, so will the means of the people and their ability to pay taxes be augmented. Let this spirit be manifested by Congress at once, in the adoption of some coherent and sensible plan for assessing and collecting internal revenue, based upon a foundation worthy the vast resources and high character of the nation, and at the same time cause the tax to fall as mildly upon the people as a similar excise does upon the subjects of Great Britain, where taxation is reduced to a science, and where to be taxed is considered almost to be blessed.

A SUGGESTION FOR CONGRESS.—If Congress really desires to do something to help break up the rebellion, let it pass an act confiscating all the property of rebels, except those officers who shall immediately renew their allegiance to the Union, and divide the land thus confiscated among the Southern soldiers who will at once throw up the rebel cause and become loyal men. This would punish the rebel ringleaders and would give the Southern soldiery some motive for loyalty. Such an act as this would, therefore, be much more effectual than silly proclamations of abolitionism.

THE SLAVERY QUESTION AND THE NEGRO QUESTION.—The irrepressible abolition philosopher of the *Tribune* calls the attention of its opponents to the following facts—to wit: that slavery is on its last legs in Maryland, and that when it dies in Maryland it dies in Delaware; that West Virginia is "practically relieved of the scourge," and the loyal portions of Old Virginia; that Missouri is on the high road to emancipation; that Arkansas has "renounced the devil and all his works;" that Tennessee will soon be reorganized as a free State, and likewise Louisiana, and that parts of Mississippi, South Carolina and Georgia have replaced slave labor by free labor, and so on; and then the question is asked, "How is all this to be reversed?"

We answer that no time need be wasted in the discussion of this question; that the war has virtually settled it; that the institution of Southern slavery may be considered as a thing of the past; that it is dying, and that with or soon after the suppression of the rebellion it will cease to exist. It is evident that in all the border slave States and in all the States along the Mississippi the war has so completely broken up this institution that peace, under the best possible conditions for the purpose, cannot restore it; and it is equally evident, from rebel confessions, that in South Carolina, Georgia and Alabama the slave population has become so demoralized by the war that, with the return of peace, slavery will be inevitably superseded by some other system of labor.

Hence we consider it a waste of time any longer to discuss the question, what is to be done with this institution of slavery in the reconstruction of the Union? The tree has been torn up by the roots, and cannot be replanted. There are cedars in California which, with a solid trunk of thirty feet in diameter, tower to the amazing height of three hundred feet. It would be as easy to replace and bring to life again one of these giants of the forest, blown down by a violent wind, as to restore this prostrate institution of Southern slavery. Its fate is sealed, and we may leave it to its fate.

But the negro question, or the question what is to be done with the black race of the South, begins to loom up as one of the most important issues of the present century to us and to mankind at large. From the lights of experience we think it may be safely asserted that this war has not only uprooted the institution of Southern slavery, but has settled the destiny of the African race in this country. Under the fostering care of a master, the negro works, thrives and multiplies; left to himself, he basks in the sun or sleeps in the shade till he wanes away and dies. With the restoration of peace the blacks of the South under any voluntary system of labor, will thus relapse into African idleness. Destitution and disease will next assail them, and they will be swept off as by a pestilence. At the same time the waste places of the South will invite more efficient laborers from all the Southern States of Europe, and with their appearance numerous vineyards and olive groves among the cotton fields will spring up from South Carolina to Texas. We need not further pursue the subject. Let it suffice the philanthropic abolitionist that his boon of emancipation involves to the Southern negro those doubtful blessings of indolence, destitution, disease and death. It will be sufficient for the Southern slaveholders, with the return of peace, that the rebellion into which they plunged for an independent slaveholding empire will have resulted in the extinction of slavery.

MR. DRAPER HAS AN EYE ON THE CUSTOM HOUSE.—The patriotism of Mr. Simeon Draper has inspired him with the brilliant idea of getting up a President Lincoln association; but from the well known enterprising character of Mr. Draper we guess that he has an eye upon the New York Custom House, and has made up his mind that with the re-election of Old Abe this Lincoln association will advance Hs founder to the desirable post of honor and profit now held by Hiram Barney. In brief, Mr. Draper is striking for the office of Collector. A similar explanation will apply to the patriotic gentlemen concerned in the Lincoln resolutions of the late New Hampshire Republican State Convention, and to the Lincoln *pronunciamiento* of the republicans of the Pennsylvania Legislature, or we are no judge of the tactics of General Simon Cameron. Of course the bulk of the federal officeholders, contractors, jobbers, &c., are strong in the belief that President Lincoln is entitled to a re-election. But still, as "there is many a slip 'twixt the cup and the lip," it is possible that all these Lincoln movements may be upset in the Republican National Convention. We know that Martin Van Buren was upset at Baltimore in 1844, in spite of a majority to that Convention elected as Van Buren delegates; we know that Henry Clay, under similar circumstances, was superseded at Philadelphia in 1848 by old Zack Taylor; and we know that Mr. Seward, at Chicago, was, quite unexpectedly to his supporters, engineered off the track in 1860.

But just to take a single case. If the military popularity of General Taylor was too strong for the great popularity of Henry Clay as a statesman, how much more will the military achievements of General Grant, or even General Fremont, when the time comes, eclipse the statesmanship of Abraham Lincoln. Let Mr. Draper "put this into his pipe and smoke it."

THE PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE CHARTER.—The various plans before the Legislature for tinkering the city charter are, like a multitude of nostrums for a system diseased, alarmingly suggestive of danger. The concern manifested in so many antagonistic quarters about the municipal health reminds one of the anxiety exhibited a few years ago by the European governments about the condition of the sick man of Turkey. There is not one of the political quacks who has taken the matter in hand whose object is not to turn the helpless condition of the patient to account. Their remedies are all of the Sangrado order—the bleeding process being in every case the basis of their prescriptions.

It is absurd to expect that any relief from the present condition of things is to be obtained from legislation at Albany. So long as the committees appointed to consider amendments to the charter are under the immediate influence and control of the political rings there can be but one result. Our city revenues are looked upon by the latter as their legitimate appanage, and such alterations as they may make will have for object only to extend their opportunities of plunder. All this talk about correcting the abuses of our present municipal system is intended not merely to prevent interference with their operations, but to cover up new schemes of villany.

If the Legislature were really in earnest in the work of reformation it would adopt the plan that we lately recommended to it. For a charter to give satisfaction to the people of New York, it must be the work of those in whom they can place confidence. Let a commission for this purpose be issued to a body composed of such men as William B. Astor, Judge Roosevelt, A. T. Stewart, Peter Cooper, Pelatiah Perit, Moses Grinnell, Chas. H. Marshall and W. H. Aspinwall, and we will guarantee that the result of their labors will not require remodelling for years to come. It is thus that the work of legislation is effected abroad in difficult and complex questions of this kind. It is certain that no other course of proceeding can ever secure to us a charter which will protect us against the knavery and rapacity of the politicians.

REFORMS IN OUR PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM.—Whilst the Legislature is in session we trust that it will undertake a revision of the system under which the Board of Education is elected. The startling facts which have been brought to light regarding the constitution of that body have destroyed all confidence in it. The public will not allow things to remain as they are, notwithstanding the show made by the Board of a desire to purge itself of its vicious elements. If the Legislature does not take the matter in hand the community undoubtedly will, by keeping their children from the schools. It will not be tolerated that a few ward politicians, who control the election of these School Commissioners, shall continue to poison the fountain from whence the rising generation are supposed to draw intellectual life and health. Better far that they should remain steeped in ignorance than be brought in contact with the contaminating influences to which, under the present system, they are liable to be exposed.

It will be asked in what way these perils are to be avoided. The answer is a very simple one. Let the Legislature give to a commission, composed of the heads of the different churches, the appointment of all the teachers in these schools. There can be joined with them the rector of Columbia College, the Principal of the Free Academy, and such other laymen as may be deemed desirable. With stringent rules for their guidance, to exclude all chance of sectarian differences, the selections of this body could not fail to inspire confidence. If a better plan than this can be suggested we will willingly accept it. We are disposed, in fact, to accede to any change which will take out of the hands of the politicians appointments of such high moral trust and responsibility.

Volunteering.

NEW JERSEY AND THE BLACK RECRUITS—SOLD AT—TEMPT AT FRAUD.

Our Jersey neighbors, who are anxious to fill their own quota with their own men, white or black, do not like the idea of agents or brokers bringing men from there across the river to this city. There have been several instances of "Americans of African descent" having been stopped at the ferry, and made to right about face and march to another direction. Right or wrong, it has been the source of occasional trouble and frequent complaints. Among the latter, George Downing, knight of the spoon and lord of the bivalves of Broad street, was seriously aggrieved in this way, and made complaint of his troubles to Mayor Gunther. His Honor could not exactly see how his jurisdiction extended over Jersey City, where they have a very good Mayor, but, being of a kind and benevolent disposition, and anxious that justice be done, though the heavens should fall, very considerately recommended George to make application to Supervisor Blunt, Chairman of the Volunteering Committee. Thereupon Mr. Downing appeared before the Chairman and presented the following letter:—

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, Jan. 23, 1864.

HON. ORISON BLUNT—

DEAR SIR—I have been directed by his Honor the Mayor to refer to you the bearer, Mr. George Downing, son of Thomas Downing, so well known to all the lovers of good things in our city. Mr. Downing complains of a grievance in Jersey City, which he will explain; and your acquaintance with the whole subject will at once suggest to him a suitable and adequate remedy. Very respectfully,

J. B. AULD, Clerk.

Although this appeal was a most feeling one, especially as it had reference to the "good things of our city," Mr. Blunt, though one of the well known "lovers of good things," was in as great a dilemma as his Honor the Mayor, and on the statement of the case could not himself see how he, Chairman of the Supervisors' Volunteering Committee, could interfere with Jersey cabbages or niggers, and, as he was acting in a local capacity in the city and county of New York, he did not believe his business extended over the sovereign State of New Jersey. But, not to be outdone in generosity by the Mayor, he politely informed Mr. Downing of his inability to serve him directly, but would refer his case to the War Department. So, between his Honor Mayor Gunther, Supervisor Blunt and the Honorable Secretary of War Stanton, Mr. George Downing's case is likely at any early day to be thoroughly investigated and promptly corrected. Who says there is no justice remaining?

A bold attempt at fraud was made on the Chairman of the committee on Saturday, which was alone prevented by the prudence and sagacity of Mr. Blunt. Thomas D. King presented his papers, regularly made out and signed and witnessed, representing him as [a member of Company B, First New York Mounted Rifles. Everything was so regular and well done that the affair was admirably calculated to deceive. The Supervisor fancied there was some connection between the party (there were several of them, and all with similar papers) and Kings county volunteers. On investigating the matter, he discovered that they had all re-enlisted, were credited to the quota of Brooklyn, and had each received their bounty of three hundred dollars. It was a bold movement to increase their capital, but fortunately did not succeed. Had it not been for the clear head and good memory of Mr. Blunt the county would have been the loser of several thousand dollars. He was about ordering the arrest of the whole party, but finally let them off with one of his one hundred pounder reprimands.

Musical.

OPERA IN BOSTON.

The Maretzek operatic troupe have had an immense success in Boston. All the artists have gained great applause from the public; but Miss Kellogg has evidently made the hit of the season. Her truly artistic impersonation of Margherita in Gounod's beautiful opera, Faust, has won for her such praises from the Bostonian critics as are seldom bestowed, except in cases where merit of the highest order exists. Mme. Medori, Miss Sulzer and Mme. Ortolani Brignoli have succeeded admirably in the modern Athens, which has in this instance deigned to give its assent to the verdict of New York as regards the artists belonging to Mr. Maretzek's troupe. Signors Mazzoleni, Bellini, Lotti and Biachi are highly praised by the Boston critics. In short, Maretzek's operatic season in Boston has been a great artistic and pecuniary success.

On the 1st of February these artists are to commence an operatic season here, which will last three months. This is great news for the lovers of music. We are to have novelties and are promised a most pleasing feature in the coming entertainments at our Academy of Music. We will give the details on another occasion.

OPERA IN HAVANA.

While an American prima donna is creating a furor in Europe, an American prima donna succeeding admirably in Boston, still another American prima donna is achieving marked triumphs in Havana. Mme. Virginia Lorini has made her debut at the Tacon with the most complete success. The Habaneros are proverbially hard to please in operatic matters, and their enthusiastic praises of Mme. Lorini are thus all the more flattering. We lack space to reproduce extracts from the Havana journals; but one and all seem to vie in the warmth of their approval of the artist. They pronounce her method admirable, and assert that she vocalizes with the utmost purity, facility and sweetness. Immense crowds have attended her performances.

Religious Intelligence.

SERMONS TO-DAY.

The Rev. Arthur Cleveland Coxe, D. D., will preach a sermon on behalf of the Society for the Increase of the Ministry, in the Church of the Holy Trinity, Brooklyn, at half past seven o'clock.

At the Fifteenth street Presbyterian church (the Rev. Dr. S. B. Bell's), between Broadway and Eighth avenue, the Rev. Professor Martin, D. D., will preach at half past ten o'clock, and the Rev. Samuel D. Burchard, D. D., at half past seven o'clock.

The fifth of the course of sermons on the Liturgy will be preached by the Rev. Morgan Dix, D. D., this evening, at St. Ann's church, Eighteenth street, near Fifth avenue. Subject—"The Creeds."

The Rev. Samuel D. Burchard, D. D., will preach at the rooms of the New England Soldiers' Relief Association, No. 194 Broadway, at three o'clock. The public are invited to attend.

The Rev. Chauncey D. Murray will be installed as pastor of Westminster church, Twenty-second street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, this evening, services commencing at half-past seven o'clock. The Rev. Dr. Potts will preach the sermon, the Rev. Dr. Phillips will deliver the charge to the people, and the Rev. Mr. Clark the charge to the pastor. The usual morning services at half past ten o'clock.

The Rev. Theodore L. Cuyler will preach to young men, by invitation of the New York Young Men's Christian Association, in the Fourteenth street Presbyterian church (Rev. Dr. McElroy's), between Fifth and Sixth avenues, this evening at half-past seven o'clock.

The Rev. C. C. Goss will preach in Hope Chapel, No. 720 Broadway, at eleven o'clock, to strangers, young men and families, and Dr. R. B. Westbrook in the evening. Children's meeting for singing and addresses at three o'clock.

At the South Baptist church, Twenty-fifth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, the Rev. J. T. Duryea will preach the fourth of the second series of the South church lectures, at half past seven o'clock. Subject—"Experiences Attending Conversion."

At the Memorial church, Hammond street, corner of Waverley place, the Rev. Francis Vinton, D. D., an assistant minister of Trinity church, will preach in the evening. Services at half-past ten, half past three and half past seven o'clock.

The Rev. Mr. Street, of York, Pa., will preach in the North Presbyterian church, corner of Ninth avenue and Thirty-first street, at half-past ten o'clock. The Rev. S. H. Cox, D. D., will preach at half-past seven o'clock.

At the French Episcopal church du St. Esprit, West Twenty-second street, near Fifth avenue, morning services in French, by the Rev. Dr. Verren, at half past ten o'clock. Evening services in English, by Rev. J. Campbell White, D. D., at half past seven o'clock.

The Rev. G. T. Flanders will preach the first of a course of sermons on "Hell: Its Origin, History and Destiny," at the Historical Society Building, Eleventh street, Second avenue, at half past seven o'clock.

The Rev. W. H. Milburn will deliver one of the course of lectures on the "First Christian Century," at Irving Hall, at half past seven o'clock.

At the Central Presbyterian church, Broome street, two blocks east of Broadway, preaching at half-past ten and half-past seven o'clock, by the pastor, Rev. Jas. B. Dunn. Subject in the evening, the continuation of the series of lectures on "Pilgrim's Progress."

Anna E. Parker will speak on the "Wrongs of Woman and Their Remedy" this evening, corner of Broadway and Twenty-third street. Dr. Rudolf will also speak. This is a very important subject, and should be heard by all.

The Rev. T. J. Sawyer will preach in the Universalist church, corner of Third avenue and Fifty second street, this afternoon at three o'clock.

At St. John's church, corner of Washington and Johnson streets, Brooklyn, the rector, Rev. George F. Seymour, will preach a sermon to young men this evening. Services at half past seven o'clock.

Rev. James L. Phillips will preach in the First F. W. Baptist church, Twenty-eighth street, at half past ten o'clock A. M. Rev. Mr. Newman will preach in the evening at half past seven o'clock.

In the Church of the Resurrection, Thirty fifth street, a few doors east of Sixth avenue, the rector, Rev. E. O. Flagg, will preach this morning and evening. Divine service at half past ten A. M. and half past seven P. M.

At the Christian chapel, Seventeenth street, near Sixth avenue, Urban C. Brewer, the minister, will preach at the usual hours. Subject, morning—"Rightly Dividing the Word of Truth." Evening—"The Conversion of Lydia."

The Rev. Dr. Schaff will deliver a discourse in the German language, at the Church of the Holy Communion, corner of Sixth avenue and Twentieth street, at half past seven o'clock.

The seventh sermon in the Christian Union series will be preached by the Rev. J. S. Newman, D. D., in the church in Twenty eighth street, just west of Broadway, at half-past seven o'clock. Subject—"The Unity of the Christian Church."

The Rev. Stephen H. Tyng, Jr., rector, will preach in the Church of the Mediator, Lexington avenue, corner of East Thirtieth street, at half past seven o'clock.

"Abraham, the Believer," will be the subject of the second sermon of the series on "Representative Characters in the Old Testament," by the Rev. E. G. Brooks, at the Twentieth street Universalist church, near Seventh avenue, at three o'clock. Morning sermon at half past ten o'clock, on "Great Principles in Little Things."

At the Bleecker street Universalist church the first of a series of lectures on the more prominent Christian denominations will be delivered by Rev. Moses Ballou this evening. Introductory—"The Roman Catholic Church: Its Doctrines and Practices." Mr. Ballou preaches also in the morning.

At All Saints' Protestant Episcopal church, corner of Henry and Scammel streets, services at half-past ten and half past seven o'clock. The Rev. J. H. Hopkins, Jr., will preach morning and evening.

At the Laight street church, corner of Laight and Varick streets, St. John's park, Rev. I. S. Kalloch will preach morning and evening. Subject for the evening—"The Ages to Come in the Church on Earth."

Services will be held at a quarter before eight o'clock, in St. Ann's free church, Eighteenth street, near Fifth avenue, with the view of accommodating all those who, from various reasons, are unable to attend the half-past ten o'clock services in our churches. The other services, as usual, at half-past ten, three and half past seven o'clock—the afternoon for deaf mutes.

At the Athenæum, Brooklyn, the Rev. Matthew Hale Smith will preach at half past ten o'clock, on "The Lessons of the Sea." At half-past seven o'clock the second sermon of the course on "The Saviour and Practical Life—Christ a Preacher."

There will be a people's meeting at 187 Bowery, from two until five o'clock. Subject from two to three—"The Monarchial Form of Government." From three to five—"Has General McClellan been Wronged by the Government."

Mrs. Cora L. V. Hatch will speak in Clinton Hall, Astor place, at three and half-past seven o'clock. Subject for the evening lecture chosen by the audience. Discussion after the lecture.

General Andrew Jackson on the War, through Randolph as medium, at half past ten o'clock, corner of Broadway and Twenty third street. At three o'clock the forum will discuss "Evils and their Remedy."

There will be spiritual meetings of the Commonwealth or Church of the New Dispensation, at half-past ten, three and half-past seven o'clock, at the hall 635 Broadway, southwest corner of Thirteenth street, up stairs.

MISCELLANEOUS.

A great revival of religion is in progress in Haverhill, Mass. Meetings are held every evening in the Town Hall, which is crowded to overflowing. Similar revivals are in progress at Dover and Great Falls, New Hampshire, and South Berwick, Maine.

The thirty-sixth Annual Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church will be held at the church corner of Broadway and Monument street, Baltimore, on March 9, 1864.

The Vicar of the Catholic Bishop of Charleston, South Carolina, is in Paris, asking aid for the suffering Catholics in Charleston, and to rebuild certain charitable institutions destroyed in the conflagration last year.

The Rev. T. W. Lewis, of Worcester, Mass., has been appointed (under sanction of the War Department), by Bishop E. S. Janes, as missionary of the Methodist Church for the Department of the South, with his residence at Beaufort. He has already entered on his labors.

The Rev. Thomas B. Hudson has accepted a call to the Presbyterian church in Northeast, Erie county, Pa., and has just entered upon his labors.

The Rev. Mr. Chandler and family, of the Madura Mission, India, sailed from Boston on Wednesday last.

The Catholics are about to erect in Springfield, Illinois, a convent to cost $60,000.

News from California.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 23, 1864.

Money easy. Atlantic currency exchange is at the rate of 43c. a 45c. premium for gold in New York. Legal tender, 65c. a 65c.

The Canadian Parliament, &c.

TORONTO, C. W., Jan. 23, 1864.

The extra official *Gazette* calls for a meeting of the Canadian Parliament on the 19th inst.

Mr. C. H. Christie, for nine years Superintendent of the Grand Trunk Railway, died last night.

NEWS FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23, 1864.

GENERAL M'CLELLAN'S REPORTS.

The reports of General McClellan are being prepared for issue from the government printing office, and it is expected will be ready for delivery in the course of next week. They are to be bound, and will be illustrated by a number of maps, some of them on a large scale. Ten thousand have been ordered for the House and five thousand for the Senate.

CAPTURE OF BLOCKADE RUNNERS.

The Navy Department is to-day in receipt of official information of the following captures of blockade runners:—

On the 24th of December the United States steamer Antona captured, off the coast of Texas, south of Galveston, the British schooner Exchange, claiming to be from Nassau, with a clearance from Vera Cruz, for New Orleans. The cargo consisted of coffee, nails, cotton goods, gunny cloth, cotton baling rope, boots and shoes, a quantity of liquors, &c. She was to be sent to New Orleans for adjudication.

On the 31st of December the United States gunboat Kennebec captured the rebel steamer Grey Jacket, after chasing her all night, while attempting to escape out of Mobile Bay during a heavy blow, and bound for Havana. She is an entirely new vessel, loaded with cotton, one half of which is on account of the rebel government. She is an excellent sea boat, and could be converted into an efficient gunboat at small expense.

On January 7 the Kennebec captured also the rebel schooner John Scott, while attempting to run out of Mobile Bay for Havana, loaded with cotton and turpentine. She is represented as an American yacht, built at Newburg, N. Y., and her "foreign" name was the Victoria. She was sent to New Orleans for adjudication.

NEW PACIFIC MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

It is understood that California and Oregon will soon be formed into a military department, and that the forces in those States will be augmented to at least ten full regiments. It is expected that a major general will be sent there from the Atlantic States.

EXAMINATION OF OFFICERS FOR COLORED REGIMENTS.

General Casey's examining board has recommended this week, for appointments in negro regiments, thirty-six officers, including one colonel, one lieutenant colonel and two majors. Since the organization of the board there have been examined 1,237 applicants, of whom six hundred and eighty have been recommended for appointment.

THE SMALLPOX SUBSIDING.

The smallpox is gradually subsiding in the city, and with the return of pleasant weather promises to disappear. The number of interments from the government hospitals amount to an average of fifteen per day.

ARREST OF NORTHERN RECRUITING AGENTS.

Arrests continue to be made of agents who come from Northern cities to recruit negroes to fill up the quotas of States. One of that class, who secured three negroes, has just been committed for trial. All the available recruits are needed for this District's quota.

THE PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION.

The reception at the President's house this afternoon was largely attended by citizens and strangers, including foreign ministers, members of Congress, and officers of the army and navy.

ONE OF THE EFFECTS OF MEADE'S MINE RUN MOVEMENT.

It has been recently discovered that upon the occasion of Meade's movement upon Mine run the rebels were so apprehensive of defeat that the authorities took all their felons out of prison and a large number of deserters, some of whom were sentenced to be shot, and sent them to reinforce Lee.

THE PUBLIC LANDS.

The rapidly increasing investments in the public lands is an indication of the direction which capital is taking. The receipts from the sales of these lands promise to become quite an important item again in the revenues of the government for the ensuing year. Notwithstanding the inclemency of the month of December, the returns on Tuesday morning received at the General Land Office from Marquette, Michigan, show the receipt of over eleven thousand dollars in cash for the sale of public lands for that month. This is in addition to locations under bounty land grants and under the Homestead law. There seems to be a disposition to purchase land at government prices for the sake of obtaining immediately a full title to the land, rather than wait the slow process of the Homestead law.

RESTITUTION.

The sum of three hundred and fifty dollars has been received at the Treasury from an unknown source, the writer of the note enclosing it, saying that the government was deprived of the amount through an imperfect understanding of a law governing some transaction, and not from any intention to defraud.

THE TREASURY DEPARTMENT PRINTING.

Nearly all other kinds of printing in the Treasury Department has given way to the preparation of the remaining three hundred and fifty thousand five per cent notes, the whole of which are to be got out without delay, and as fast as printed will either be paid out or exchanged for National Bank currency or greenbacks.

THE OVERLAND PACIFIC MAILS.

The Postmaster General has invited bids to reduce the running time four days from the Atlantic to the Pacific, for the conveyance of the letter mail only, as well as the entire mail.

GENERAL AUGUR ON AN INSPECTING TOUR.

General Augur started on Tuesday for the Upper Potomac on an extensive inspecting tour.

UNION VIRGINIA FAMILIES FLEEING FROM GUERILLAS.

A large number of Union families are moving within the defences from Fairfax county, deeming it unsafe to remain during the winter in a section infested by guerillas.

APPLICATIONS FOR COMMISSIONS IN NEGRO REGIMENTS.

During the past week General Casey's Examining Board has examined fifty-seven applicants for commissions in negro regiments, only twenty-five of whom were passed. Two of these were for lieutenant colonels.

BOUNTIES TO VOLUNTEERS WHO ENLISTED PREVIOUS TO MAY, 1861.

The announcement in the Senate on Monday of the future introduction of a bill to pay bounties to all volunteers who enlisted prior to May, 1861, gives great satisfaction in military circles, and will probably be passed at an early date, there being a strong influence in the army operating in favor of the measure.

COURTESY TO THE MEMBERS OF THE PRESS.

On Monday the Senate displayed its liberality in adopting unanimously a resolution of Senator Anthony ordering an additional number of copies of bills to be printed for the use of the representatives of the press.

THE PROPOSED EMANCIPATION BUREAU.

It is understood that at an early day Congress will pass the bill establishing a bureau of emancipation.

FUTILE FACTIOUSNESS OF THE OPPOSITION.

Monday being resolution day in the House, the usual resolutions upon this wicked war were offered by the opposition, to be laid upon the table. This matter of offering resolutions upon the war over and over again, to be laid upon the table, for the sake of calling the yeas and nays upon them, has got to be an intolerable nuisance, without, as far as can be discovered, any counterbalancing benefit. Members on both sides of the House who desire to get their names in the papers are constantly offering such resolutions, and taking up the time of the House, which should be devoted to more important legislation.

THE RELEASED MR. STODDARD.

The Mr. Stoddard, who was released from the Old Capitol on Friday, and restored to duty as inspector of hay at Alexandria, is the father of Captain Stoddard, the Quartermaster who is still in durance. It is believed by Captain Stoddard's friends that this release is but the precursor of the release of all those supposed to be implicated in the alleged Alexandria frauds.

ARREST ON CHARGE OF BEING A REBEL SPY.

Mr. William Ferguson, of Fairfax county, Va., has been arrested and consigned to the Old Capitol upon the charge of being a rebel spy. Mr. Ferguson is a native of New York, and, although living in Virginia some time, has been hitherto regarded as a loyal man.

COLONEL PERCY WYNDHAM.

Colonel Percy Wyndham has been recently engaged in writing an attractive narrative of the exploits of our cavalry. He has, however, received two notices from the War Department forbidding him to publish his contemplated work.

CAPTAIN HARTZ.

Captain E. L. Hartz, Assistant Quartermaster, who has long and with singular efficiency managed the business of one of the most important bureaus of the Quartermaster's Department of the post of Washington, has been relieved from duty and ordered to report to the Quartermaster General for orders.

THE M'REYNOLDS COURT MARTIAL.

The McReynolds court martial has adjourned until the deposition of General Stoneman can be received from Chattanooga.

COURT MARTIAL OF A CAVALRY OFFICER.

A court martial has been convened here for the trial of a cavalry officer on the charge of committing an outrage upon the person of a negro woman in Maryland.

THE BUSINESS OF THE LAND OFFICE.

The pressure of business upon the General Land Office has again become very great. One day this week the office received two hundred and thirty eight packages, ... of which contained one hundred ... pages. The ... are rapidly increasing, and in the course of a month ... bid fair to exceed ... previously attained.

IOWA'S PUBLIC LANDS.

Another certificate for fifteen thousand ... acres has been prepared and submitted to the Secretary of the Interior for approval by Judge Edmonds, the Commissioner of the Land Office, granting to the State of Iowa that quantity of land in compensation for ... claimed as swamp, but which has been ... bounty land warrants as arable land.

SURGEON SIM.

Surgeon Thomas Sim has been relieved from ... medical director of the Third army corps, and ... take charge of the general hospital at Baltimore ... the recent general order that the surgeons in the field shall be relieved by others who have ... in cities.

A GOVERNMENT OFFICER TAKING ADVANTAGE OF THE COLD WEATHER.

During the recent cold weather Colonel ..., Quartermaster of the Department of Washington, ... cured ice amounting in value to over twelve ... dollars. It is believed that he will be able to ... ficient quantity before spring to supply not only ... eral departments, but all the hospitals about ... throughout the approaching summer.

THE DEPARTMENT OF THE SUSQUEHANNA.

Major Mosely has been ordered to report ... Couch as mustering officer in the Department of the Susquehanna.

COLONEL BURTON ORDERED TO THE ARMY OF THE POTOMAC.

Colonel Burton, formerly in command of ... ware, has been ordered to the army of the Potomac ... placed in command of the artillery reserve.

THE CONTESTED SEATS FOR MISSOURI.

The Missouri contested election cases are ... considered by the House Committee on Elections. ... Bruce, who contests the seat of Mr. Loan, ... Committee yesterday and to-day, and will ... argument to-morrow. The Committee was ... are five such cases from that State, and ... will depend for their decision on the result of ... now under consideration.

CONCLUSION OF MILITARY INVESTIGATIONS.

The Military Commission for several weeks ... sion here has concluded its labors.

United States Supreme Court.

JAN. 22.—No. 143. The United States, appellants, vs. Joaquin Alvarado.

No. 144. The United States, appellants, vs. ... Urena et al.

No. 161. The United States, appellants, vs. ... Malo.

Appeals from the District Court of United States for the Southern District of California.

On motion of Mr. Attorney General Bates, the ... were dismissed.

No. 6. Original ex parte. In the matter of ... Vallandigham, petitioner.

The motion for a writ of certiorari to the ... cate General was argued by Mr. Pugh in support ... and submitted on a printed argument by Mr. ... position thereto.

No. 110. Thomas Beaver, plaintiff in error ... Staats Taylor et al.

This cause was argued by Mr. Trumbull for ... ants in error, and submitted on a printed ... Mr. Grimshaw and Mr. Williams for plaintiff ...

United States Court of Claims.

JAN. 22.—The argument in the cause of ... the United States was continued by Mr. ... Assistant Solicitor for the United States, ... by F. Carroll Brewster, Esq., for the claimant ... case submitted.

The Skating Excitement.

GRAND CARNIVAL ON THE FIFTH AVENUE POND—FIREWORKS AND FANCY DRESSES—THE SKATING IN THE PARK AND ELSEWHERE.

The promised and anxiously looked for ... carnival on ice took place last evening on the Fifth Avenue Pond. The ice, which had been softened during the day by the action of the sun, became harder as the sun went down; consequently ... the fun commenced the skating surface was in ... condition.

At about seven o'clock last evening a ... was sent aloft to give notice to outsiders ... carnival had commenced. After a short ... the crowd—skaters and spectators—came ... down the steps in unusual numbers, some ... into the costume rooms. By half-past seven ... dieres, Scotch girls, Turks, cavaliers and others ... getting the stay-at-home soldier in his uniform ... be seen on the ice. One young lady just learning ... and attired in a very fine dress, was to be ... by a huge grizzly bear, so that she might ... was beauty and the beast with a vengeance ... with legs, and his fan tail sweeping the ice, ... amusement. He was certainly a queer fish, ... out of his element, especially when he had ...

At half-past seven o'clock the fireworks ... and lasted for a very long time. Roman ... rockets were discharged in profusion, and ... elevations were brilliantly illuminated ... colored fires. At one time several ... fires of different colors were ignited ... same time, both on and off the ice, and the ... faces of the visitors and the costumes of the ... very curious. Mines were discharged from ... the pond, and expert skaters were to be seen ... pidly over the ice, carrying in their hands ... green and other lights. A very fine set piece ... with the words "Fifth Avenue Pond" and ... tation of a skate, was let off with splendid ... fact, the whole of the pyrotechnic display ... ingly good.

During all this time the Fifth avenue skating ... band, which was somewhat increased for ... played a number of polkas, waltzes and other ... music, which greatly added to the enlivenment of the scene.

The pond was also illuminated by lanterns, ... all the full moon shone with a clear lustre ... good for the skaters, but bad for the fireworks.

It was expected that the fancy dress carnival would have commenced in the afternoon, and a large ... persons visited the pond at that part of the day ... the skaters in their gay attire. Although ... were ready for those who desired to use them ... could be induced to be the first to put on the ... broad daylight; but after dark this feeling ... and the skaters readily changed their dull ... attire for the tinsel of the Oriental clime, ... the days of Hamlet, or the velvet and lace of ... lier. This is the first carnival of the kind ... had in the city of New York, and doubtless ... will be more generally patronized, as the ... attending such novelties on their first app... have worn off when the visitor discovers th... attired are not molested in any way.

The best of order was kept during the fes... flects great credit on the managers of the ... the large crowd that was present we ... that the speculation, in a pecuniary point ... as great a success as the manner in which ... out.

THE PARK.

About twenty five thousand persons visited the Park during yesterday, but as the ... ponds was much cut up and softened under ... of the skates and the warm sun the ball ... ered at dark and the skaters removed from the ... rather unfortunate, especially during these ... light nights. If the weather shall have ... cooler during last night there will be skating ... if the ice should be considered at all unsafe ... ing the managers will not allow skating, ... that generally visits the ponds on Sunday ... to be permitted recklessly to go onto weak ice.

BROOKLYN.

The skating in Brooklyn still continues ... people of the City of Churches are having ... the ice. If the weather should be favorable ... a grand carnival on the Washington pond ... evening.

The Kentucky U. S. Senatorship.

SALES OF REAL ESTATE.

ATTENTION IS CALLED TO THE FOLLOWING PROperty offered for sale:—
House 278 Broome street, 22x104.75; 280 Broome street, 20x75; 282 Broome street, 25x75. The above are rented to reliable tenants, paying a good interest as an investment.

ALSO,

Trustee's sale—Three story high stoop brick House No. 182 West Fifteenth street; house 20x38; lot 103 feet, in first rate order, very desirable; will be sold a bargain.

ALSO,

Executor's sale—Tenement Property 59, 60½ and 61 West Forty-first street, two story and store, brick buildings, 25x75 feet.

ALSO,

Valuable Leasehold Property—129 Ninth street, near Broadway—three story and extension House, in splendid order, and replete with all conveniences, mirrors, &c., &c.

ALSO,

To close an estate—Three story brick House No. 66 Pitt street, lot 25x100, with a fine rear building connected by alley way; will be sold on favorable terms.

ALSO,

The valuable Property No. 105 Macdougal street, in connection with property running through and being No. 13 Minetta street.

ALSO,

The very desirable House No. 130 East Nineteenth street; three story high stoop, 20x50, lot 92 feet, built in first class manner, frescoed and replete with all modern improvements, the premises in first rate order.

ALSO,

Nos. 98 and 102 West Twenty-fifth street, three story and English basement, in good order, or would exchange for first class property.

ALSO,

Valuable Tenement Property No. 147 East Twenty-eighth street, was thoroughly repaired and painted within four months. The premises will accommodate thirty-three families, and pay a good interest on the investment. Will be offered a bargain. Apply to

JOHN A. VAN BUSKIRK,
36 Fourth avenue, corner of Tenth street.

AT 319 FOURTH AVENUE—BY DAY & COBB, FOR sale very low for cash, Lots on the southeast corner of Ninety-first street and Fourth avenue, in Ninetieth and Ninety-first streets, between Third and Fourth avenues, with gores.

A BARGAIN FOR CASH, OR WILL EXCHANGE FOR City Property, a Country Seat, 50 acres, at Oyster Bay, L. I. WM. KNIGHT.

A NUMBER OF FIRST CLASS BROWN STONE, three story, high stoop Houses for sale in West Fiftieth street, on terms to suit. Price $7,000 to $8,000. Also No. 38 West Forty-fourth street, near Fifth avenue, a three story brick House and full Lot. Price $6,000. Apply at 345 West Fiftieth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

AT 319 FOURTH AVENUE—HOUSES FOR SALE, BY DAY & COBB, LICENSED COMMERCIAL BROKERS.

Principals having Property on our books are requested to notify us of any alteration in price or terms.

In order to do justice to owners, property in the hands of other brokers is not desired.

No commission charged to purchasers under any circumstances. Dwellings in our charge can be viewed only at specified hours, and occupants are desired not to show them, ...

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SALES OF REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—A FOUR STORY BRICK HOUSE IN Twenty-third street, between Second and Third avenues, New York. Will be sold cheap. Apply to C. H. WURT, No. 1, Front street, Brooklyn.

FOR SALE—A FARM OF ABOUT 48 ACRES, IN Dutchess county, N. Y. On the farm is a fine house, finished in the best manner, containing 13 rooms; a wagon house, hog house, a barn and other outhouses. Also on the farm one of the very best locations for a country store, and a most excellent situation for a grist or paper mill. A fine stream of water runs through the farm of sufficient capacity to give a fall of 20 feet at least. The said farm is on the main road running from Poughkeepsie to Pine Plains, and is constantly travelled over. For further particulars inquire of J. F. HEALTH, No. 13¼ Chambers street, from 12 to 3 o'clock.

FOR SALE—THE HOUSES AND LOT 130 LEONARD street, near Centre. Apply to J. & J. GEMMEL, No. 200 Broadway, room No. 4, from 11 till 1 o'clock.

FOR SALE—A LARGE, CONVENIENT, FIRST CLASS House, with all the modern improvements, in a desirable location, convenient to the cars and ferry; house 34x50, lot 34x133 feet; or would exchange for a small house, with several lots of ground. Apply on the premises, No. 12 Second place, Brooklyn.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE FOR CITY PROPERTY, a Country Residence, within 2½ miles of the Greenpoint ferry, on Newtown avenue, containing all the modern improvements, with all the necessary outbuildings. An abundance of fruit trees on the place. For particulars apply to W. C. FLANAGAN, 107 Chrystie street.

FOR SALE—THE BROWN STONE FRONT FOUR story English Basement House 23 West Thirty-seventh street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues. For particulars and permit apply to W. C. FLANAGAN, 107 Chrystie street.

FOR SALE—TWO TWO AND A HALF STORY SUB cellar and basement brick Houses, with all the modern improvements, Nos. 290 and 292 Schermerhorn street, Brooklyn, convenient to three car routes. Inquire of M. R. CUSACK, 110 Wall street, or C. J. FISHER, 31 Powers st., Brooklyn.

FOR SALE—THE FIRST CLASS TENEMENT PROperty 634 Hudson street; lot 25x118, with two four story brick Houses, in good order; price $16,000, rent $2,000. $8,000 to $12,000 may remain. Apply to JAMES MULEY, ...

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SALES OF REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—FOR GOOD CITY PROperty, the highly desirable Property comprising the Houses from 509 to 563 Grand street, and from 403 to 409 Madison street. A good bargain will be given. For further particulars apply at 403 Broome street, corner of Centre.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—A VERY PRETTY PLACE, on State street, Sing Sing; unsurpassed view of the Hudson river, three minutes' walk from depot; a very desirable residence for a city family for the summer. Rents for $450; price $5,500. Possession 1st of February.

AZARIAH CARPENTER, 12 and 14 College place, N. Y.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT—FURNISHED OR UNFURnished, with Stock and Farming Implements, a commodious and well built House, with all necessary Outbuildings, and 30 acres of well cultivated Land, stocked with fruit trees of all kinds in full bearing, situated 60 miles from New York, five miles from New Haven, and within three minutes' walk of Long Island Sound. The place is suitable either for a gentleman's residence or a first class summer boarding house. Apply to or address Capt. THEO. A. BURRETT, 34 West Fortieth street.

FOR EXCHANGE—SPLENDID HOTEL AND TAVERN, in good order, about sixty rooms, at Port Jervis, Erie Railroad depot; title perfect; will trade for New York or Brooklyn houses, lightly mortgaged tenant houses, or farm. Address L. M., Herald office.

HOUSES AND LOTS FOR SALE—TWO THREE story brick dwelling Houses, with sub-cellar and basement, 207 and 209 Division street; also, the three story subcellar and basement House 377 East Ninth street, in this city; also, the three story and basement House 50 Hoyt street, Brooklyn; all the above houses have Croton water and gas throughout, and chandeliers in the parlors and halls. The above are in good repair. Apply to THOMAS MORRELL, 60 Wall street, Jefferson Insurance Company.

HOUSE FOR SALE—IN NINETY-THIRD STREET, between Third and Fourth avenues, nearest to Fourth avenue, built of Philadelphia brick, brown stone trimmings; vaults, sewer, conservatory and garden. Also 50 Lots on Ninety-third street and Fourth avenue.

J. T. FARISH, 123 Front street.

HOTEL FOR SALE—ON THE BLOOMINGDALE road; one of the best located houses near the city; fine garden of 12 acres, barns, sheds, outhouses, &c. The house is elegantly furnished, and can be had for very little money. Apply to J. L. BAILLIE, Mercantile Hotel, Nos. 146 and 148 Duane street.

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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A WELL ESTABLISHED PHOTOGRAPH Gallery, well stocked and doing a good business on Broadway. Good reasons for selling. Address J. H. M., 421½ Broadway, Post office.

FOR SALE—A LIQUOR STORE, IN ONE OF THE best locations in the city, on account of sickness in the family. Inquire at the place, corner of Sixth avenue and Thirty-eighth street.

FOR SALE—A GROCERY AND PROVISION STORE, Stock, Fixtures, &c., 42 Myrtle avenue, Brooklyn, between Jay and Pearl streets, and near the City Hall, an excellent stand for any kind of business.

FOR SALE—THE PARTY WHO ADVERTISED A band wheel, twelve feet diameter and very wide face, will please send his address to B., Spring street station.

FOR SALE CHEAP—THE BARGE C. DURANT; CARries 200 tons; would answer for lightering or river trade. Apply at 43 West street.

FOR SALE—THE STOCK AND FIXTURES OF A BAR room, now doing a paying business, located in the Eighth avenue. The business would be greatly improved by adding a dining and oyster saloon. Inquire at 564 Eighth avenue, any evening, between 7 and 9 o'clock.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—A NEATLY FITTED UP Music Saloon on Broadway. Inquire at No. 2 Leroy place, Bleecker street, second floor, front room.

FOR SALE—THE STOCK AND FIXTURES OF AN old and well known Lace, Embroidery, Ribbon, Hosiery, Glove, &c., &c., Store, having the largest trade of any establishment of the kind in the city. A large portion of the stock was bought before the rise in prices, and is in original packages. The stock is fully assorted and in good order. Satisfactory reason given for selling. For further information apply to the proprietor, 221 and 223 Eighth avenue. Agents need not apply. WM. KINZEY.

KEROSENE OIL ROUTE FOR SALE—HORSE, Wagon and Cans. Inquire at No. 43 Bartlett street, Brooklyn, E. D.

LUMBER.—A FULL ASSORTMENT OF LUMBER AND Timber, suitable for shipping to all parts of the world, for sale by JOHNSON & SPADER, Kent avenue, corner of Hewes street, near Naval Hospital, Brooklyn.

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BOARDING AND LODGING.

AT THE FRANKFORT HOUSE, ONE BLOCK EAST OF the City Hall, corner of Frankfort and William streets, 200 neatly furnished, light, warm Rooms. A room is one person, 25c. to 50c. per day; $1 to $3 per week. House open all night.

AT THE GRANT HOUSE, 43 AND 45 NEW BOWERY, new house and furniture; central location; no pretence to style; all in comfort and cleanliness; rooms, one person, 25 to 50 cents per day, $1 to $3 per week. Open all night.

AT 420 HUDSON STREET, NEAR GROVE—PLEASANT Furnished Rooms to let, with good Board. Cars and stages pass the door.

AT NO. 47 WEST TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET, NEAR Broadway, a very pleasant Parlor, with Bedroom connecting, on second floor front, to let, with Board. Also, Rooms for single gentlemen. The best of references given and expected.

AT 91 EIGHTH STREET (CLINTON PLACE), NEAR Fifth avenue—can be had a spacious Parlor, on the first floor, furnished or unfurnished, and with or without a private table. Also two Bedrooms. Dinner at six.

AN UNFURNISHED FRONT ROOM, ON SECOND floor, to let, with Board, to a gentleman and wife or two single gentlemen. Inquire at No. 30 Cottage place, between Bleecker and Houston streets.

A VERY DESIRABLE SUIT OF PARLORS, WITH Bedroom on first and second floors, with Board. Private table if preferred. The house contains all modern improvements. Apply at 329 West Twenty-second street.

A VERY DESIRABLE FRONT ROOM AND BEDROOM to let, on second floor, at 85 Second place, Brooklyn.

A BEAUTIFUL THIRD STORY FRONT ROOM TO let, with Breakfast and Tea, to two gentlemen. None need apply except parties of the highest respectability, willing to pay a good price. 41 Tenth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

A WIDOW LADY, HAVING MORE ROOM THAN SHE requires, will let a handsomely furnished Parlor and Bedroom, very moderately. One or two gentlemen wishing to room together will find a very comfortable home. Convenient to the cars. Please call at 511 Sixth avenue.

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BOARDING AND LODGING.

WANTED—BY TWO GENTLEMEN, A NICELY FURnished little Sitting Room, with two Bedrooms, which need not be adjoining, and breakfast, light and fire, in a respectable house, not too far from Lafayette place. Terms per week to be moderate and stated in addressing X. Y. Z., Herald office.

WANTED—A FURNISHED BEDROOM, WITH OR without partial Board, for a young man. Location Fifteenth to Twenty-fifth street, near Broadway. Terms must be moderate. Address R. J. B., Herald office.

WANTED—A HOME IN A PLEASANT PRIVATE FAMily for a widow lady; location desirable and references carefully exchanged. Address Mrs. J. Howard Francis, Madison square Post office.

WANTED—BY A GENTLEMAN AND WIFE, A PARlor and Bedroom on second floor, with Board; dinner at 5 or 6 o'clock; location between Fourth and Seventeenth streets and Second and Sixth avenues. Address, stating terms and full particulars, Geo. B. Atkins, Parker House, Boston, Mass.

WANTED—IN A PRIVATE FAMILY, BOARD FOR A lady where there are no other boarders; where she can have a comfortable room with fire and gas; below Fourth street and west of Broadway; references exchanged. Address J. B., box 140 Herald office.

WANTED.—BOARD FOR A MAN, WIFE AND ONE child, in a private family, or where there are but few boarders; would like a front Room with hall Bedroom off; will furnish rooms if required; would take part of a genteel house in a good neighborhood for housekeeping; location preferred in New York below Fourth street. Address, stating terms, H. P. S., box 120 Herald office.

WANTED—BY A PHYSICIAN, AN OFFICE (BASEment or first floor), furnished or unfurnished, with or without Board; location between Twentieth and Fifty-fifth streets and Fourth and Seventh avenues. Address for one week Dr. P., Athenaeum, 108 Fifth avenue, New York city.

9 LAFAYETTE PLACE.—AN ELEGANT SUIT OF Apartments to let, with private table only.

20 BEACH STREET, OPPOSITE ST. JOHN'S PARK. Furnished Rooms with Board. Dinner at 6 o'clock.

37 BANK STREET, NEAR FOURTH.—A LARGE, pleasant Back Room, on second floor; also a Front Room on third floor, to let, with Board, suitable for gentle...

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SALES AT AUCTION.

ALVAN C. BAKER & CO., AUCTIONEERS. J. LEVERICH TAGORE, AUCTIONEER. MAGNIFICENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. Pianofortes, Paintings, Statuary, Bronzes, many rare and costly Works of Art and articles of vertu. AT PUBLIC AUCTION, ON TO-MORROW (MONDAY), JAN. 25, At the elegant residence 68 West Sixteenth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, sale commencing at 11 o'clock. The auctioneer would call the particular attention of his friends and the public to this sale, the catalogue comprising the largest and richest assortment of Household Furniture, &c., offered at auction this season. Sale peremptory. Catalogues at house.

DRAWING ROOMS. Chandeliers, Velvet Carpets, Lace and Brocatel Curtains, Rosewood Drawing Room Suits, Etageres, Secretary and Bookcases, [illegible] Cabinets, Centre Tables, ebony Reception Chairs, Lady's Work Table, Console Tables, Canterbury, Stereoscope, with 100 elegant Views; Antique and Gothic [illegible] Chairs, Oil Paintings by eminent artists. SEVEN OCTAVE ROSEWOOD PIANOFORTE, Richest instrument offered at auction this season. Canterbury, Music Books, Bronze Statuary, &c.; rosewood and walnut Bureaus, Bedsteads, Wardrobes, style Louis XIV.; Lounges, Hair and Spring Mattresses, Bedding, Buffet, Extension Table, Arm Chairs, Dinner Sets, Glassware, Silverware, Table Cutlery, &c. Also Basement and Kitchen Furniture. Competent persons in attendance to pack and remove the goods.

ALBERT C. HAYWOOD, AUCTIONEER. MAGNIFICENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, CARPETS, PAINTINGS, BRONZES, MIRRORS, SILVER WARE, GLASSWARE, CUTLERY, &c., &c., AT PUBLIC AUCTION, TO-MORROW (MONDAY), JANUARY 25, At the splendid private residence 123 East Tenth street, four doors west of Broadway, sale commencing at 11 o'clock. Particular attention is called to this sale, comprising one of the largest and richest assortments of Household Furniture and Works of Art offered at auction this season. Also, an ELEGANT FIRST CLASS ROSEWOOD PIANOFORTE. SALE POSITIVE.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, AUCTIONEER.—EXECUTOR'S sale of Stores and Lots 98 John and 50 Cortlandt streets.—ADRIAN H. MULLER, F. H. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction on Tuesday, Jan. 26, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, 111 Broadway, by order of Wm. S. [illegible], executor of Eliza Moore, John street—The four story brick Store and Lot No. 98, near Gold street. Cortlandt street—The four story brick Store and Lot No. 50 Cortlandt street, near Greenwich street. Maps at the office of the auctioneers, No. 5½ Pine street.

AUCTION NOTICE.—D. D. CAULKINS, AUCTIONEER.—TO PURCHASERS OF REALLY FIRST CLASS COSTLY FURNITURE, RICH FRENCH PIER AND MANTEL MIRRORS, SUPERBLY CARVED ROSEWOOD PIANOFORTE, SILVER PLATE, &C. ON MONDAY, JAN. 25, At the residence 215 West Fourteenth street, near Eighth avenue, commencing at 11 o'clock, A. M., rain or shine. The sale comprises some of the richest and most elabo- [illegible]

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SALES AT AUCTION.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, SHERIFF'S AUCTIONEER, will sell at auction, on Tuesday, January 26, 1864, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, the valuable property No. 30 Greenwich avenue. The lot is 25 feet front, 30 feet 11¾ inches in the rear, 131 feet 3¾ inches on the east, and 173 feet on the west side. There are three fine houses on this lot, in good condition, all rented. For maps, &c., apply at the office of the auctioneer, No. 14 Pine street, or at the office of O'GORMAN & WILSON, Counsellors at Law, No. 8 Pine street.

MUSICAL.

A MAGNIFICENT 7¼ OCTAVE ROSEWOOD PIANOforte for sale—Four round corners, overstrung bass, full iron plate, richly carved legs and case; all the modern improvements; made to order for present owner by city makers; fully guaranteed; in use but short time; in perfect order; will be sold at half its original cost. Also, Drawing Room Furniture, Brocade and Lace Curtains, Paintings, Statuary, and Clocks, at a sacrifice. Inquire at No. 113 West Twenty-third street, near Sixth avenue.

AN EXPERIENCED MUSIC TEACHER WOULD like to engage, in a private family or private boarding house, to teach the Piano and Singing in exchange for full Board. References given. Address Canto, station D, New York.

A YOUNG LADY WISHES A FEW MORE PUPILS TO teach the Pianoforte. Can be seen from 2 to 4 o'clock on Mondays and Thursdays, at the residence of her present pupils, 152 Thirty-ninth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, New York.

A PARISIAN LADY, A THOROUGH TEACHER OF French and music, desires four more pupils to fill her hours, or would take five young ladies in a class at $4 each per quarter, on two days of the week. Address C. G. G., station L, Harlem.

BROOKLYN.—THE GREATEST EVER GIVEN FOR A large 7½ octave, overstrung bass Piano, most elegantly finished in rosewood, with splendid stool, at 133 Nassau street, Brooklyn; best New York makers; warranted for five years; it will be sold at a dead bargain. Call early.

FURNISH MUSIC FOR PARTIES, SOCIABLES, WEDdings, &c.; piano alone, or with violin, flute, cornet, &c. Only the best musicians engaged. Orders received by F. BLUME, music store, 208 Bowery, between Spring and Prince streets.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT—A FINE TONED ROSEwood Pianoforte. To be seen at 93 West Twenty-fourth street.

MUSICAL.—WANTED, A LADY VOCALIST, TO travel with a genteel concert company. Also a comic singer. Suitable persons will receive a fair remuneration. Call at 102 West Houston street, from 9 to 11 A. M., or address Music.

MUSIC.—$2 FOR EIGHT LESSONS ON THE PIANO. [illegible]

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INSTRUCTION.

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NEW PUBLICATIONS.

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HORSES, CARRIAGES, &C.

A LIVERY STABLE FOR SALE—WITH A LONG lease and whole Stock and Fixtures. This is the best [illegible] that was ever offered in this city, as the owner is [illegible]. Inquire at 335 Eighth avenue.

BUSINESS WAGONS OF EVERY KIND CONSTANTLY on hand [illegible] made to order—such as grocers, bakers, butchers, milk [illegible] express. Every article got here warranted as represented. You will find this place as favorable as any that can be found. STEWART'S Wagon Factory, Fifty-third street, near [illegible] avenue.

CARRIAGES.—ONE SECOND HAND, SIX SEAT, CUT under Germantown Rockaway, city built; in perfect order; one top Buggy, built by Dusy; one Park Phaeton; one very light Express Wagon; the above will be sold low for cash. Apply at 336 Pearl street.

COUPE FOR SALE.—A FINE, ROOMY COUPE, IN fine order; can be seen at Miller's stables, 60 West Nineteenth street; price $300.

CARRIAGES FOR SALE CHEAP.—ONE SECOND hand Coach, very light; two Rockaways and one Coupe Rockaway, and one no top Buggy Wagon, all built by Wood Brothers, only used by private family, to be sold at a great sacrifice. Apply to M. CURLEY, 71 East Twelfth street.

FOR SALE—A SPLENDID GRAY HORSE, FIVE years old, fifteen hands three inches high, and very stylish; suitable for a gentleman; sound and kind in double or single harness; a lady can drive him. Apply at 155 First avenue.

FOR SALE—A REAL GOOD FAMILY HORSE (ONLY needs to be tried to please) and a good, light leather top Wagon. Both for $250. N. DODGE, 21 East Twentieth street.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

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AMUSEMENTS.

WALLACK'S. MONDAY. Doors open at half-past 7; Overture commences at a quarter to 8; Curtain rises at the conclusion.

PARTICULAR NOTICE. Reserved seats are retained until the conclusion of the first act. It is respectfully requested that parties securing such seats will be as punctual as possible, as there are many plays in which the first act does not last more than fifteen minutes.

EIGHTY-SECOND [illegible] of Mr. Lester Wallack's standard Play, ROSEDALE, in which Mr. Lester Wallack, Mr. Gilbert, Mr. Fisher, Mr. Holland, Mr. John Sefton, Mr. [illegible] Daly, Mr. Browne, Mr. Parkes, Mr. Pope, Mrs. Hoey, Mrs. [illegible] Burke, Miss Mary Gannon, Miss Barrett, Miss Le Brun and Miss Carman will perform.

TUESDAY, NAVAL ENGAGEMENTS and the OLD ENGLISH GENTLEMAN. WEDNESDAY, EIGHTY-THIRD NIGHT OF ROSEDALE. THURSDAY, THE LOVE CHASE. FRIDAY, EIGHTY-FOURTH NIGHT OF ROSEDALE. SATURDAY, THE CLANDESTINE MARRIAGE. Due notice will be given of the next representation of MARRIED LIFE.

FOX'S OLD BOWERY THEATRE. Lessee, Director and Manager..........G. L. Fox. MONDAY EVENING, JANUARY 25, AND DURING THE WEEK, With all the available resources of this time honored establishment, and for the first time on any stage, The new and gorgeous pantomime, entitled THE HOUSE THAT JACK BUILT, By G. L. Fox, who is justly acknowledged to be the only artistic pantomimist after the celebrated Ravels. He has produced them in this city for the last ten years with the MOST TRIUMPHANT SUCCESS. This piece will be put upon the stage WITH EVERYTHING ENTIRELY NEW, REGARDLESS OF EXPENSE.

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Ham Trowel (the Pantaloon)..........C. K. Fox
Jack Stout (the Harlequin)..........Tony Denier
Angelina (the Columbine)..........Miss Louise Brown

[illegible]

SPORTING.

[illegible]

SEGARS AND TOBACCO.

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AMUSEMENTS.

WINTER GARDEN. Eighty-seventh night of MR. AND MRS. W. J. FLORENCE and THE TICKET OF LEAVE MAN. The LONDON TIMES, in speaking of this great moral drama, mentions a fact to which the provincial press of Great Britain and Ireland has given confirmation. A clerk, who had absconded from Liverpool with £1,500, the property of his employers, and after visiting many places, arrived at Birmingham about five o'clock, and after taking some refreshments went to the theatre, to while away an hour. As it happened, the piece which was being performed on the occasion of this visit was THE TICKET OF LEAVE MAN, and the guilty man seems to have drawn a moral from the representation, for when the scene in which the interview between Hawkshaw, the detective, and the "Ticket of Leave Man" took place, Parker, the clerk, became so affected that he went out of the theatre, got three envelopes, and sent £1,300 back to his employers. Doors open at 6¾, to commence at 7¼. Carriages may be ordered at 10¼.

NIBLO'S GARDEN. COMMENCES AT 7¼. Lessee and Manager..........Wm. Wheatley. THIRD WEEK. THE BRILLIANT SUCCESS AND POSITIVE TRIUMPH of Charles Gayler's New Irish Drama, THE BONNIE BOOGAH, OR THE JOLLY PEOPLES, written expressly for MR. AND MRS. BARNEY WILLIAMS, warrants the announcement that it WILL BE PLAYED MONDAY EVENING, JANUARY 25, AND EVERY EVENING TILL FURTHER NOTICE. THE SUPERB ACTING BY THE TALENTED COMPANY, THE NEW SCENERY BY HILLIARD AND HAYDEN, THE NEW DECORATIONS BY WALLIS, THE NEW MACHINERY BY RUNTON, THE NEW OVERTURE AND ORIGINAL MUSIC BY G. B. DODWORTH, have received the STRONGEST ENCOMIUMS OF THE ENTIRE PRESS. THE WONDER AND DELIGHT OF THE [illegible]

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AMUSEMENTS.

BROOKLYN ACADEMY OF MUSIC. GERMAN OPERA. MONDAY, JAN. 25, 1864. LA DAME BLANCHE, OR THE WHITE LADY. A grand opera in three acts, by Boieldieu. Madame Johannsen, Madame Frederici, M'lle Canissa, Herr Habelmann, Herr Graff, Herr Kronfeld. HERR HERMANNS has kindly volunteered to take the smaller part of Gaveston. Conductor..........Carl Anschutz. Balcony, parquette and dress circle, $1. No extra charge for reserved seats, which can be had only during the day. Family circle, 50 cents; Amphitheatre, 25 cents. The sale of tickets commences on Saturday morning at the Brooklyn Academy of Music.

NEW YORK ACADEMY OF MUSIC. EXTRA NIGHT. WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27, 1864. By general request, THE MERRY WIVES OF WINDSOR, Grand opera, in three acts, by Nicolai. With HERR HERMANNS in his celebrated role of FALSTAFF. The sale of tickets will commence on Monday morning at the Academy, and at Beer & Schirmer's, 701 Broadway.

NEW BOWERY THEATRE. Sole Proprietor..........Mr. J. W. LINGARD. MONDAY EVENING, January 25, FOURTH WEEK OF THE GREAT WESTERN STAR, MISS KATE FISHER, in her unrivalled character of MAZEPPA. MAZEPPA. MAZEPPA. Making her astonishing ASCENTS AND DESCENTS, AND FLIGHT AROUND THE FIRST CIRCLE OF BOXES, While BOUND TO THE BACK OF THE WILD HORSE. Nightly received in THRILLING AMAZEMENT. Forty-third night of the celebrated Pantomimist and Melodramatic Actor, MR. EDWIN BLANCHARD, who will appear for the first time as the [illegible]

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THE EVENING EXPRESS CASE.

The Partnership Difficulty Fully Ventilated—What the Position of Financial Editor is Worth—Interesting Affidavit of Stephen T. Clark—He Charges the Brookses with Inserting Gratuitous Advertisements, and Complains that the Herald and Other Loyal Papers Are Making Money, while the Express is Going Down—His Remonstrance Against the Mismanagement of the Concern, and Call for the Books to Verify His Statement—Lively Discussion Between Messrs. McKeon and Cram—The Court Decides that the Books Shall be Examined, &c.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS—CHAMBERS.

Before Judge Cardozo.

JAN 23.—The case of Stephen T. Clark against James & Erastus Brooks was on again to-day. Mr Smythe, the counsel for the defence, opened the ball by stating that ... on the part of the defence was an application ... of proceedings pending the decision of the ... The plaintiff claimed to be the owner ... New York Express, while the defend... only had one sixth of two thirds ... the defendants claim that Mr. ... interest in the concern ... money editor, was ... [illegible]

THE NAVY.

PORTSMOUTH, 5.—The United States steamer Fahkee, Captain Thomas Pickering, arrived at the Brooklyn Navy Yard on Friday evening from off Throg's Neck, L. I. The Fahkee, although entirely unprepared, was enabled by the zeal of the officers, with but six hours' notice, to assume her position at the guard station, where for the past month she has been engaged in the arduous duty of boarding passing vessels, which during the late unusually inclement weather was rendered extremely hazardous by the icy condition of the river and the total inexperience of the crew. The following is a list of her officers:—

Acting Volunteer Lieutenant Commanding—Thomas Pickering.

Acting Master and Executive Officer—[illegible]

Acting Assistant Paymaster—[illegible]

Acting Assistant Surgeon—[illegible]

Acting Ensigns—George F. ... Gibson.

Engineers—Second Assistants, ... W. J. Fitzsimmons; Third Assistants, Eugene Mack, Robert Bladen.

Master's Mates—H. F. Page, ...

Captain's Clerk—R. B. Wilson ...

Paymaster's Clerk—W. A. C. ...

Surgeon's Steward—H. G. ...

Paymaster's Steward—Edward ...

MALVERN, 5.—The Malvern, ... Creeny, is being rapidly filled ... Yard as a temporary supply steamer ... [illegible]

Action for False Arrest.

INTERESTING TO HOUSEKEEPERS, METROPOLITAN POLICEMEN AND CITIZENS GENERALLY.

SUPREME COURT—GENERAL TERM.

Before Judges Ingraham, Robertson and Monell.

An interesting case was tried in the above court last week, the result of which is important to housekeepers, policemen and citizens generally. A domestic named Ellen Burns, it appears, was arrested in the month of July, 1861, on suspicion of stealing about $300 worth of plate from Henry Erben, of No. 46 West Thirty-eighth street, but was discharged for want of evidence. The arrest was made at the instance of Charles Erben, the son of Mr Erben, and a suit was commenced against him for false imprisonment, the plaintiff laying her damages at $5,000. After hearing considerable testimony pro and con, the Court decided in favor of the defendant. The opinion was delivered by Judge Robertson, who in the ... [illegible]

Police Intelligence.

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Coroner's Inquest.

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Arrivals and Departures.

ARRIVALS.

... Steamship Catawba—Major General ... and two children, Lieutenant Colonel ... Louisiana cavalry; Major Powers, A J ... Thirty-eighth Massachusetts; Capt ... Lieut Murray, 131st New York; ...

... Steamship Saladin—Geo V Fierweight, ... H L B Koch and servant, Rev J ... and lady, Mrs Burnett and infant, ... B M Logan.

... Sara Dean—Mr Shepherd, Miss Cen... late first officer of ship Express, cap... Alabama.

DEPARTURES.

... HAVEN AND BREMEN—Steamship Teuto... [illegible]

... Steamship City of London—Richard Hall, John Turnbull, Henry Appleton, Charles ... [illegible] ... and a large number in the steerage.

... Steamship Morning Star—For New Orleans ... [illegible]

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

SATURDAY, Jan. 23—6 P. M.

The stock market was steady to-day, and the transactions were large; but the general list showed a small falling off in prices. New York Central sold at 137¼, Erie 108⅛, Hudson River ..., Harlem again reached 99, Michigan Southern ... up to 89¼. Michigan Central went ... Reading 116¼, Pacific Mail 129 and ... for ten days time, Illinois Central 130⅝, Cleveland and Pittsburg 117, Rock Island 149⅝, Toledo ..., Galena and Chicago 114½, Cumberland ... 60, and Canton Company 39⅝, which is ... cent above the sales of Friday.

Governments were firm, the five-twenties reaching ... interest on, and the registered 6's of 1881 ...

Sterling exchange was dull, and the best bills ...

The quotations at the gold exchange to-day were as follows:—

[illegible]

The market closed weak at ...

The business at the Sub-Treasury to-day was as follows:—

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Treasury would not inflict a greater injury to the country by closing the rich gold lodes of Colorado Territory against the operations of the miners than he does by preventing the free movement of cotton. Applications have been made for unrestricted trade in that article in the Southwest.

The Arctic Insurance Company of this city will pay on the old capital stock a semi-annual dividend of five per cent, free of government tax.

The Lawrence County Coal Company will pay the interest on the six per cent coupons of their first mortgage bonds, which fall due on the 1st of February, at the office of the company, after that date.

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The Albany and Schoharie Railroad ... into operation in September last, ... following gross amount of earnings:—

September, two weeks	[illegible]
October	[illegible]
November	[illegible]
December	[illegible]
Total	[illegible]
Total earnings	[illegible]

We give some further extracts ... showing the condition of the mo... their respective localities. The Cin... of the 19th inst. say:—

The closeness in the money market ... good paper is abundant in the street at ... In consequence of the closeness of the ... and the demand for currency, exchange ... and some of the banking houses ... Government contractors fill about as large ... the applicants as ever, and those who ... and holding provisions still have to ... borrowers at all, a pretty large line, and ... the market can be unloaded of a portion ... stocks held here. It is observed, however, ... the bankers that the volume of currency ... a moderate pace.

The Chicago *Post* of the 18th says:—

The day closes on an extremely tight ... but, as there is reason to look for an increase ... shipments during the week, the banks ... they will be able to convert a large amount ... ceivable into available funds, and thus ... relieve the market from its present strin... Demand for Eastern exchange is active, ... with a short supply. The banks are ... counter at one-fifth to one-quarter, and ... of one per cent premium.

The Boston *Traveller* of Friday ... following:—

The demand for money was fully equal ... this forenoon, without any change from ... rates of interest for loans and discounts ... banks or in the open market.

The Milwaukee papers of the ... [illegible]

Stock Exchange.

[illegible]

Sales at the Public Board.

[illegible]

SHIPPING NEWS.

[illegible]

Port of New York, January 23, 1864.

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Miscellaneous.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

DR. WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY.

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POLITICAL.

AT A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE UNION CENtral Committee of the City and County of New York, held at headquarters, corner of Broadway and Twenty-third street, on Saturday evening, January 23, 1864, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:—

Whereas, the time has come when the approaching Presidential election should receive the attention of the country;

And whereas, spontaneous movements of the people have already indicated the popular choice;

And whereas, these movements, originating in gratitude and patriotism, have arisen simultaneously in such remote States as New Hampshire and California, as Indiana and Pennsylvania, and now await only a formal expression in New York; therefore,

Resolved, That as delegates to the Regular Union Central Committee of the metropolis of the country, freshly chosen to this representative organization by the loyal electors of our respective districts, we do but give utterance to the will of our constituents when we declare that the cause of American nationality and of constitutional liberty demands the re-election of Abraham Lincoln.

Resolved, That the popular current which carried Andrew Jackson into a second term was not, at the same relative period, more resistless than that which now sustains and bears onward our eminent President; and history will have warned in vain if political leaders shall fail in submission to the manifest will of the people.

Resolved, That the unbounded popularity of Abraham Lincoln, both with the loyal citizens and the brave soldiers of the republic, attests the public recognition of his unquestioned honesty, his unselfish patriotism and his transcendent sagacity. Cheerful when others have desponded, serious when others were elated, thoughtful when others were precipitate, and pressing onward when others have halted—he has labored for the nation's life, until his countrymen have hailed him as a benefactor.

Resolved, That the re-election of Abraham Lincoln and the extension of his constitutional sway over the revolted States (extinguishing the hope of traitors at home and of tyrants abroad), will forever demonstrate the stability of the American government and the justice of the American people.

Resolved, That the National Committee be requested to ... [illegible]

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

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